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# ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

## TOWN OFFICERS

—OF—

# Mont Vernon, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15, 1912.



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MILFORD, N. H.  
CABINET PRINT,  
1912.





## REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

The selectmen respectfully present to the town of Mont Vernon their annual report of receipts and expenditures for the year ending Feb. 15, 1912.

### RECEIPTS

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1911	\$ 628 75	
Amount of taxes assessed	6,565 11	
Interest on taxes	25 15	
Licenses on dogs	124 75	
Railroad tax	72 58	
Savings bank tax	190 78	
Literary fund	43 56	
Rent of town hall	210 50	
From county	6 00	
Town histories sold	10 50	
Lots sold in cemetery	20 00	
Luther Odell cemetery trust fund	200 00	
Reuben Batchelder cemetery trust fund	100 00	
Lot sold in cemetery 1910	10 00	
State highway	211 76	
	5 00	
A. W. Bragg for sidewalk	10 00	
Donation for drain pipe	15 00	
F. Ferdinand, one-half pay for sidewalk	88 44	
		\$8,537. 88

### EXPENDITURES

Paid state tax	\$833 00
county tax	403 20
Sarah Brown, interest on note	12 00
May C. Gleason, " "	16 00
J. F. Perlham " "	4 00

J. M. Kittredge, interest on note	14 00	
C. H. Raymond, " "	48 00	
Jane Elliott, " "	30 00	
Mrs. J. H. Tarbell " "	12 00	
Maria N. Bruce, " "	6 00	
M. B. Raymond, " "	16 00	
J. H. Blood, library note and interest	116 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,510 20

## SUPPORT OF HIGHWAYS

## Running road machine :

L. F. Humphrey	\$115 00	
John Hopkins	23 00	
H. A. Smith	24 00	
E. W. Trow	12 50	
J. H. Blood	22 50	
	<hr/>	\$197 00

## Ed Shattuck, work on the Clark and

Stucklen road 12 65

Pat Herlehy, work on Kendall road 24 75

## Repairs on Bragg road :

A. W. Howison, drain pipe	\$37 80	
E. W. Trow, one day with team	4 00	
C. H. Raymond, two days	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$45 80

## E. H. Best, Dist. No. 7 and 9 :

Repairs in summer, no charge.

Breaking roads \$14 00

Pat Herlehy, breaking roads 3 20

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\$17 20

## A. Winn, Dist. No. 1 and 6 :

Repairs in summer	\$78 90	
John Corliss	57 50	
C. W. Blood	24 60	
Norman Horton	6 00	
J. F. Perham	12 00	
John Hopkins	12 00	
W. S. Stinson	1 50	
L. F. Humphrey, breaking roads	4 00	
J. Lawrence Grabel	3 70	
	<hr/>	\$200 20

J. F. Perham, Dist. No. 3 and 4:		
J. Perham, summer	\$85 40	
J. Perham, winter	4 20	
George Holt, "	1 10	
	<hr/>	\$90 70
N. F. Hooper, Dist. No. 2:		
N. F. Hooper, summer	\$13 50	
N. F. Hooper, winter	13 40	
E. W. Trow, summer	3 60	
C. H. Raymond, "	3 60	
George D. Kittredge, summer	40	
	<hr/>	\$54 50
W. E. Richardson, Dist. No. 5:		
W. E. Richardson, summer	\$31 80	
W. E. Richardson, winter	4 70	
W. Nichols, summer	30 00	
John Hazen, winter	11 05	
	<hr/>	\$77 55
W. L. Robinson, Dist. No. 8:		
W. L. Robinson, summer	\$10 70	
W. L. Robinson, winter	14 00	
S. T. Worthen, summer	17 80	
George C. Hadley, winter	1 10	
W. E. Russell, summer	8 60	
	<hr/>	\$52 20
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		\$752 55

## TOWN OFFICERS.

C. H. Raymond, selectman	\$70 00
J. H. Blood, "	45 00
E. W. Trow, "	45 00
C. H. Raymond, overseer of poor	5 00
Harry G. Blood, town clerk	20 00
George D. Kittredge, town treasurer	30 00
F. J. Conner, collector	65 09
George F. Holt, janitor	99 75
W. H. Kendall, moderator	2 50
N. F. Hooper, ballot clerk	2 00
J. H. Blood, ballot clerk 1910	2 00
George C. Hadley, auditor	2 00

W. S. Stinson, supervisor	4 00	
C. O. Ingalls,       "	4 00	
Jay M. Gleason,     "	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$401 34

## ABATEMENT OF TAXES

Estate John Colby, overtax	\$9 90	
Annie C. Hooper,       "	8 50	
E. D. Brown, poll tax 1910	1 75	
H. Proctor,       "     " 1910	1 75	
W. Blanchard,     "     " 1910	1 75	
F. P. Carson,       "     " 1911	1 70	
W. P. Casman,     "     " 1911	1 70	
Freddetta,               1911	1 70	
J. H. Blood, overtax	17 00	
	<hr/>	\$45 75

## STATE HIGHWAY

C. H. Raymond	\$60 90	
E. W. Trow	65 33	
George D. Kittredge	22 00	
J. F. Perham	73 08	
John Hopkins	82 33	
James Lawrence	13 00	
Alonzo Winn	35 59	
N. F. Hooper	34 72	
Rufus Averill	19 69	
Willie Williams	28 59	
H. A. Smith	9 00	
H. O. Reed	30 34	
Henry Roberts	11 82	
Benjamin Roberts	3 94	
Walter Reed	16 77	
W. E. Russell	7 44	
John Corlis	11 96	
A. J. Emery	9 77	
Elmer Trow	15 90	
George D. Kittredge for gravel	29 36	
James Lawrence for posts	3 20	
Use and repairs of plow	3 50	
Wire for fence	2 71	
	<hr/>	\$590 94



Total fund left last year in town		
treasury	\$107 05	
In state treasury	64 23	
State contribution 1911	347 40	
Town contribution	579 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,097 68
Expended by town	\$590 94	
State disbursements	15 75	
	<hr/>	\$606 69
Balance in state treasury due state		
highway	\$184 12	
Balance in town treasury due state		
highway	306 87	
Total unexpended balance	<hr/>	\$490 99

#### OVERSEER OF POOR

Paid Jennie White, support of Kneeland White from Feb. 1, 1911 to Feb. 28, 1911	\$6 00	
Paid Hillsborough county, support of Carl Boutell from April 1, 1911, to Jan. 1, 1912, 39 weeks, at 3.00 per week	117 00	
	<hr/>	\$123 00
Received from county	\$ 6 00	
Received from town	117 00	
	<hr/>	\$123 00

C. H. RAYMOND,

Overseer of Poor.

#### CEMETERIES

Cemetery trustees	\$42 83	
Interest on Kendall fund	4 00	
" " Odell fund	8 00	
" " Batchelder fund	4 00	
" " Coburn fund	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$60 83

## SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Appropriation for schools	\$1,700 00	
Repairs on Center school house	150 00	
Supplies for schools	165 00	
Tuitions	109 87	
Dog tax	92 50	
Literary fund	43 56	
Tuitions, spring term, Stearns school	24 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,284 93
Appropriation for park	\$50 00	
Appropriation for town library	150 00	
	<hr/>	\$200 00

## MISCELLANEOUS

Supplies for town house for 1910	\$7 08
Oil for road machine, 1910	25
Cemetery trustees, 1910	1 95
Printing town reports, 1911	30 00
Lighting streets from Jan. 1911, to Jan. 1912	324 00
Insurance on town house	25 75
D. C. Alexander, watching Elliott fire	3 00
Temple & Conner, goods furnished	
H. O. Reed while quarantined	18 53
H. A. Smith, milk furnished H. O. Reed while quarantined	3 48
W. S. Stinson, breaking sidewalk	3 15
Concreting sidewalk, F. X. Tardif	503 40
C. V. Carlton, stone for bridge	7 50
G. W. Moore, repairs on furnace and town house	263 70
G. W. Moore, pump	7 00
N. Horton, housing and moving road machine	2 00
Repairs on town house, W. I. Winslow	2 80
Lighting town hall from Feb. 1, 1911 to Feb. 1, 1912	36 80
Sarah Brown, watering tub to date	1 50

Jay Gleason, breaking out side walks	2 00
Town clerk, recording births and deaths	1 50
Town clerk, postage	50
Dog license book	1 50
H. G. Blood, dog killer	2 00
Treasurer, postage	28
Bounty on hedgehogs	5 60
J. H. Blood, work on sidewalks	19 10
J. G. Lawrence, work on sidewalk	2 00
A. Winn, " "	1 00
Discount on taxes	75 07
Clement Stinson, picking brown-tails	4 00
Will Brown, " "	8 75
John Corliss, " "	2 50
Clement Stinson, watching Elliott fire	1 00
J. H. Blood, " "	2 00
Kendall & Wilkins, cement	75
" " powder fuse	91
Ogden, two grates	4 00
Supplies for Town house to Feb. 15, 1912	10 28
Grass seed, cemetery	3 56
Scraper for road machine	8 00
C. H. Raymond, to Concord, good roads convention, two days	5 37
C. H. Raymond, to Concord, tax commission meeting	2 37
C. H. Raymond to Nashua	1 33
Two cords wood, Town house	8 00
Tuning piano	3 00
G. F. Holt, repairs on Town hall	4 25
Glass for Town house	40
Stair rails, " "	70
Geo. F. Holt, filling fire extinguishers	5 00
Oil for road machine	25
Drain pipe	3 44
E. C. Eastman, order book	1 35
E. C. Eastman, collector's book	1 75
W. B. Rotch, printing notices	75
Geo. B. French, council	2 00
John Hopkins, breaking sidewalks	2 00
Geo. F. Averill, three cords wood	12 00

Postage and envelopes for brown-tail moths	1 45	
W. H. Kendall, putting in grate	2 00	
Telephone	1 20	
Postage and express	1 64	
Board Health fumigating Reed house	3 00	
L. F. Humphrey, drawing freight	4 25	
L. F. Humphrey, drain pipe	56	
	<hr/>	\$1,466 27
Uncollected order of 1907		8 27
		<hr/>
		\$1,474 54

## TOWN LIABILITIES

M. C. Gleason, note	\$ 400 00	
Sarah Brown, "	300 00	
C. H. Raymond, "	1,200 00	
J. M. Kittredge, "	350 00	
J. F. Perham, "	100 00	
Jane Elliott, "	750 00	
Mrs. J. H. Tarbell, "	300 00	
Mrs. A. S. Bruce, "	150 00	
J. H. Blood, library note	300 00	
M. B. Raymond, library note	400 00	
	<hr/>	\$4,250 00

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

S. C. Coburn	\$ 50 00	
Misses Kendall's	100 00	
Reuben Batchelder	100 00	
Luther Odell	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$450 00
Due state highway		\$306 87

## RECAPITULATION

Whole amount receipts	\$8,537 88	
Whole amount bills paid	7,444 08	
Balance in treasury	<hr/>	\$1,093 80



Town liabilities	\$5,006 87	
Assets	1,093 80	
	<u>          </u>	\$3,913 07
Town debt 1911	\$3,978 30	
Town debt 1912	3,913 07	
Decrease for year	<u>          </u>	\$65 23

CHARLES H. RAYMOND,	}	Selectmen
JOSEPH H. BLOOD,		of
EDWARD W. TROW,		Mont Vernon.

We have this day examlned the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY G. BLOOD,

ARTHUR P. TEMPLE,

Auditors.

Feb. 20, 1912.

# REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

## DR.

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1911	\$ 628 75	
F. Conner, taxes collected	6,081 67	
Interest on taxes	25 15	
Railroad tax	72 58	
Savings bank tax	190 78	
Literary fund	43 56	
State highway	211 76	
Luther Odell cemetery trust fund	200 00	
Reuben Batchelder cemetery trust fund	100 00	
From county	6 00	
License on dogs	124 75	
Lots sold in cemetery 1910	10 00	
1911	20 00	
C. H. Raymond, town histories	10 50	
Rent of town hall	210 50	
Peddler's license	5 00	
From A. W. Bragg	25 00	
"    Frank Ferdinand	88 44	
	<hr/>	\$8,054 44

## CR.

By paying county tax	\$403 20	
"    state tax	833 00	
"    orders of selectmen	6,207 88	
	<hr/>	\$7,444 08
Whole amount receipts	\$8,054 44	
"    "    paid out	7,444 08	
Cash balance on hand	<hr/>	\$610 36
Uncollected taxes 1911		483 44
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Total assets Feb. 15, 1912		\$1,093 80

GEORGE D. KITTREDGE,  
Treasurer.

Mont Vernon, Feb. 20, 1912.

We have this day examined the above account and  
find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
ARTHUR P. TEMPLE,  
Auditors.

# REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

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As tax collector I hereby submit the following :

Taxes assessed 1911	\$6,565 11	
Interest	25 15	
	<hr/>	\$6,590 26
Taxes collected	\$5,996 25	
Interest collected	25 15	
Due from taxes	483 44	
Discount on taxes and abatements	85 42	
	<hr/>	\$6,590 26

FRANK J. CONNER, Collector.



# CEMETERY TRUSTEES

## REPORT OF TREASURER

### RECEIPTS.

From town	\$42 83	
Interest on Coburn fund	2 00	
“ Odell	8 00	
“ Kendall	4 00	
“ Batchelder	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$60 83

### EXPENDITURES.

Frank Smith, labor in cemetery 9 days, 3 hours	\$18 68	
One-half sack phosphate	1 00	
Sexton	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$29 68
D. Alexander, labor	\$19 15	
Digging two graves	6 00	
Three bags fertilizer	6 00	
	<hr/>	31 15
		<hr/>
		\$60 83

HARRY G. BLOOD, Treasurer.

# LIBRARY REPORT

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## REPORT OF TREASURER OF TOWN LIBRARY

For the Year Ending February 15, 1912

### DR.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1911	\$38 '27	
Town appropriation	150 00	
Cash from dues	22 50	
	<hr/>	\$210 77

### CR.

Cash for books and periodicals	\$112 71	
Librarian's services	65 00	
Insurance on books	8 25	
Wood and kindling	17 24	
Balance on hand	7 57	
	<hr/>	\$210 77

J. M. GLEASON, Treasurer.

Mont Vernon, Feb. 20, 1912.

We have examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
ARTHUR P. TEMPLE,  
Auditors.

# REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the year ending February 15, 1912.

### DR.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1911	\$ 60 71	
School appropriation	1,700 00	
For repairs	150 00	
For supplies	165 00	
For tuition	109 87	
Dog tax	92 50	
Literary fund	43 59	
	<hr/>	\$2,321 67

### CR.

## EXPENDITURES

### CENTER SCHOOLS

#### GRAMMAR

Abbie E. Kendall, spring term	\$144 00	
"    "    "    fall    "	121 00	
"    "    "    winter  "	133 00	
	<hr/>	\$398 00

#### PRIMARY

Cora E. Stone, spring term	\$132 00	
"    "    "    fall    "	121 00	
"    "    "    winter  "	33 00	
Miss Lord,                    "    "	57 00	
	<hr/>	\$343 00

## SOUTH SCHOOL

Alice B. Smith, spring term	\$84 00	
“ “ “ fall “	77 00	
“ “ “ winter “	56 00	
	<hr/>	\$217 00

## EAST SCHOOL

Mildred Brown, spring term	\$84 00	
“ “ “ fall “	88 00	
“ “ “ winter “	72 00	
	<hr/>	\$244 00

## WEST SCHOOL

Rita Ranson, spring term	\$96 00	
“ “ “ fall “	88 00	
“ “ “ winter “	64 00	
	<hr/>	\$248 00

## JANITORS

## GRAMMAR AND PRIMARY

George Blood, winter, 1911	\$3 30	
Bruce Russell, spring	3 00	
Ernest Russell, “	3 00	
David Herlehy, fall	5 50	
George Wyatt, winter	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$18 80

## SOUTH

Arthur Trow, fall and winter	\$5 15	
	<hr/>	\$5 15

## EAST

Charles Bennett, spring	\$3 00	
Elmer Hodgman, fall	3 30	
“ “ “ winter	2 70	
	<hr/>	\$9 00

## WEST

Edythe Nichols, spring	\$2 40	
Arthur Hazen, winter	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$3 40

## WOOD

## CENTER SCHOOL.

James Lawrence	\$12 00	
Harry Blood, sawing wood	8 85	
Ernest Russell, putting in shed	3 50	
J. F. Perham	2 85	
George F. Averill	28 00	
	<hr/>	\$55 20

## SOUTH SCHOOL.

J. G. Carlton	\$11 25	
H. A. Hutchinson	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$19 25

## WEST SCHOOL.

John Hazen	\$5 00	
F. O. Lamson	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$19 25

## EAST SCHOOL.

B. W. Richards	\$5 50	
F. O. Lamson	5 00	
F. O. Lamson, kindling and sawing wood	2 00	
Harry Blood	2 25	
Elmer Hodgman, sawing wood	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$15 75

## REPAIRS

Frank Smith	\$220 64	
George Holt, setting glass	30	
	<hr/>	\$220 94

## TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

E. E. Babb & Co.	\$78 52	
Newson & Co.	37 85	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.	6 06	
Ginn & Co.	17 36	
American Book Co.	11 76	
Milton Bradley Co.	1 37	
Thompson, Brown & Co.	1 25	
Mrs. Fanny Averill, supplies and clock	9 35	
W. F. French	50	
R. E. Lane	38	
Order book	60	
	<hr/>	\$165 00

## CLEANING SCHOOLROOMS

Mrs. Lura Pike	\$6 30	
Mrs. M. A. Johnson	2 50	
Mrs. E. G. Averill	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$10 80

## MISCELLANEOUS

Insurance of schoolhouse	\$19 12	
Emerson & Son, window shades	5 20	
L. F. Humphrey, express	3 45	
F. O. Lamson, carfare, tel. and postage	3 33	
J. F. Carlton, Miss Carlton settlement	31 42	
Amherst tax	21 00	
J. M. Gleason, postage	50	
J. F. Perham, tel. and postage	29	
Temple & Conner	4 25	
	<hr/>	\$88 56
Salary of school board	\$50 00	
Salary of treasurer	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$60 00

## HIGH SCHOOL TUITIONS

Albert Lamson	\$10 50
Elizabeth Herrick	40 00
Howard Russell	12 00
Mildred Stinson	15 79



Catherine Stinson	15 79	
Guy Coggin	15 79	
	<hr/>	\$109 87

## RECAPITULATION

Instruction	\$1,450 00	
Janitors	36 35	
Wood	103 20	
Supplies	165 00	
Services of school board and treasurer	60 00	
Repairs	220 94	
Cleaning schoolrooms	10 80	
Miscellaneous	88 56	
High school tuitions	109 87	
	<hr/>	\$2,244 72
Amount received	\$2,321 67	
Amount paid	2,244 72	
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1912	<hr/>	\$76 95

J. M. GLEASON,  
Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
ARTHUR P. TEMPLE,  
Auditors.

## ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

## TWO TERMS

Dorothea Hazen

Hazel Fox

## ONE TERM

Josephine LaCass

Howard Russell

Jennie Blood

Mabel Curtice

Leon Humphrey

Katherine Stinson

Leonard Trow

Esther Fox

Name of School.	Spring term					Fall term					Winter term				
	Grammar	Primary	East	South	West	Grammar	Primary	East	South	West	Grammar	Primary	East	South	West
Length in weeks.....	12	12	12	12	12	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	9	8	8
Number of pupils. ....	14	18	6	10	14	15	19	7	6	14	12	17	7	6	6
Average attendance...	12.3	15.3	5.5	7.2	8.5	13.2	15.8	6.2	5.3	11	11	16	5.9	4.6	5
Visits of board .....	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2
Visits of others.....	12	13	7	17	6	14	11	4	3	22	10	10	1	9	2
Wages per month.....	\$48	\$44	\$28	\$28	\$32	\$48	\$44	\$32	\$32	\$32	48	44	\$32	\$32	\$32

# Births Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or still born.							
Aug. 10	Mt. Vernon	Male.	Female.	3	W. Harry E. Edson.	Elgia M. Rector.	W.	Medford, Mass.	Carpenter.	W. Wind-sor. Vt.	Spemis Is., N. S.
Sept. 1	"	Male.	Female.	1	W. Clarence A. Murdo.	Gertrude Richardson.	W.	Mont Vernon.	Farmer.	Hillsboro.	Peterborough.

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

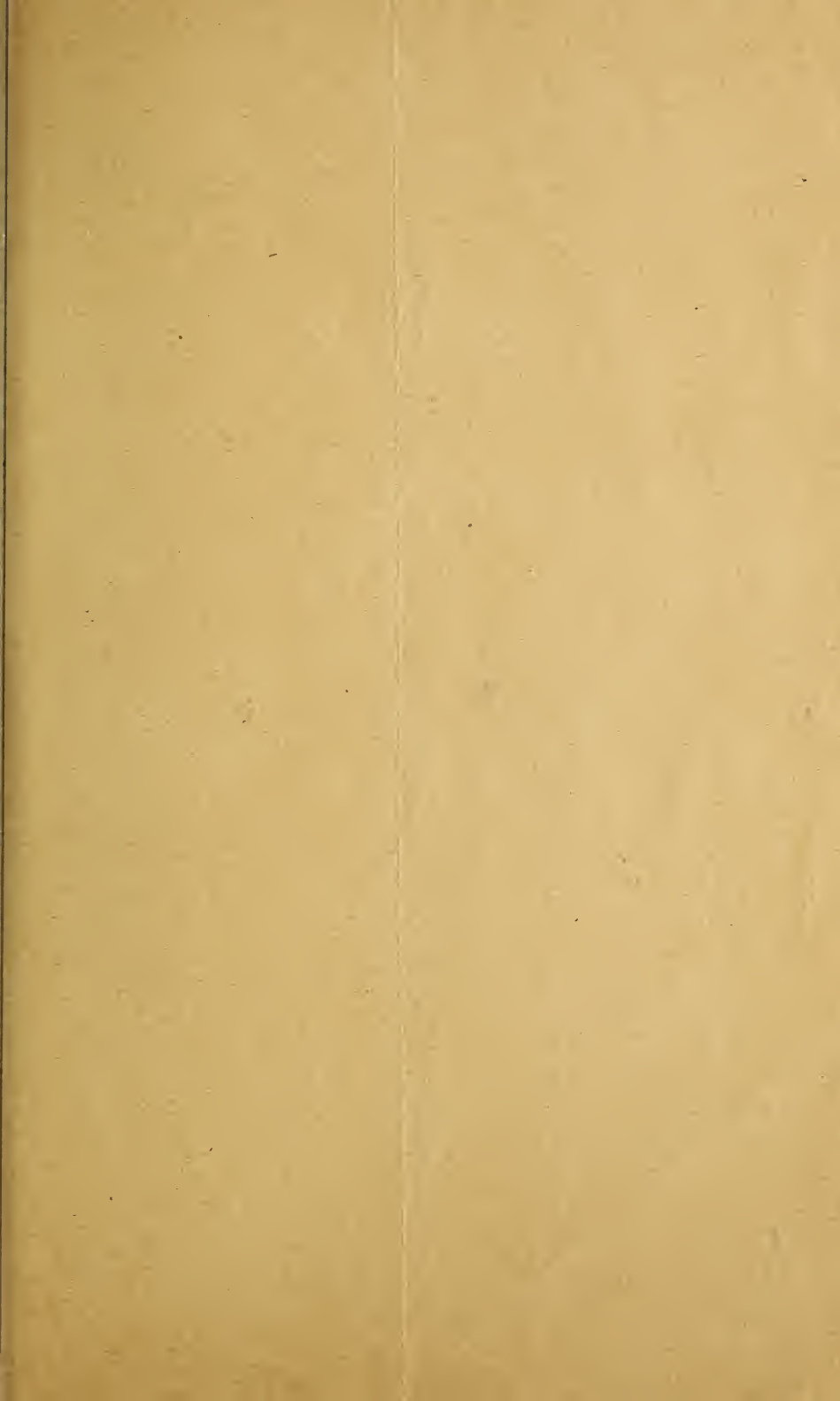
Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
June 24	Mt. Vernon	Joseph D. Brown.	New Boston.	37	W. Farmer.	New Boston.	James A. Brown.	Mt. Vernon.	Farmer.	1	H. P. Peck, clergyman.
Sept. 12	South Lyndeboro.	Fred'n Benedict.	Bethel.	18	W. Housekeeper.	Bethel, Vt.	Burton H. Benedict.	Bethel, Vt.	Quarryman.	1	Mont Vernon.
		Miles E. Wallace.	Mt. Vernon.	44	W. Carpenter.	Manchester.	M. W. Wallace.	Bethel.	Farmer.	2	D. Donovan, clergyman.
		Alice R. Blood.	"	35	W. Clerk.	Amherst.	George H. Blood.	Bethel.	Farmer.	1	So. Lyndeboro.

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date of death.	Age.			Place of birth.	Sex and condition.			Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
	Years.	Months.	Days.		Sex.	Color.	Single, married, or widowed.	Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 28	67	11	13	Mont Vernon...	M	All white	M	Mont Vernon...	Mont Vernon...	Luke A. Wilkins...	Elizabeth Langdell...
Feb. 11	79	7	21	Lyndeboro...	F		W	Lyndeboro...	Lyndeboro...	Franklin Hadley...	Mary Spaulding...
Feb. 28	75	1	28	Deering...	M		M	Deering...	Deering...	Aaron White...	Louise Cram...
May 9	2	3	22	Mont Vernon...	M		S	Columbia Falls, Me.	Columbia Falls, Me.	George L. Tabbutt...	Edith Look...
May 17	37	10	14	Burlington, Vt.	F		M	Burlington, Vt.	Burlington, Vt.	B. J. Humphrey...	Unknown...
Dec. 5	85	5	1	New London...	M		M			Rev. Joseph Davis...	Alpha Goldsmith...

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HARRY G. BLOOD, Town Clerk.







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Amount of taxes assessed	6,805 69
Interest on taxes	22 50
Licenses on dogs	107 75
Railroad tax	144 77
Savings bank tax	302 59
Literary fund	46 92
Rent of town hall	84 25
Rent of hall to grange	37 50
Town histories sold	4 50
Bounties on hedgehogs	9 60
Peddlers' licenses	4 00
John T. Perkins, cemetery trust fund	50 00
Sarah Holcomb, " " "	100 00
Lots sold in cemetery	10 00
From primaries	12 00
	<hr/> \$8,835 87

### EXPENDITURES

State tax	\$904 00
County tax	411 70
Sarah Brown note	310 00
Maria Bruce, note	156 00
Jane Elliott on note and interest	229 30
M. B. Raymond, library note	100 00
J. M. Kittredge, interest on note	14 00
M. C. Gleason, " " "	16 00
Mrs. J. H. Tarbell, " " "	12 00
J. F. Perham, " " "	4 00
C. H. Raymond, " " "	48 00
M. B. Raymond, " " "	16 00
J. H. Blood, " " "	12 00
Mary C. Gleason, note	400 00
	<hr/> \$2,233 00

## SUPPORT OF HIGHWAYS

Breaking roads in Feb. and March, 1912:		
A. Winn	\$10	75
A. M. Hayden	5	70
E. G. Averill	1	20
West Nichols	2	40
N. F. Hooper	2	40
Geo. C. Hadley	2	00
J. D. Brown	2	45
J. F. Perham		60
J. M. Gleason, sidewalks	1	25
Chas. W. Blood, road agent	860	25
	<hr/>	\$889 00

## SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Appropriation for schools	\$1,700	00
Appropriation for supplies	175	00
Dog tax	124	25
Literary fund	46	92
Tuitions, etc.	147	36
	<hr/>	\$2,194 03
Appropriation for park	\$ 50	00
Appropriation for library	150	00
	<hr/>	\$200 00
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		\$2,394 03

## MISCELLANEOUS

Lighting streets from Jan. 1, 1912	
to Jan. 1, 1913	\$344 25
W. B. Rotch, insurance, town house	33 50
W. B. Rotch, printing reports, 1912	32 00
W. B. Rotch, " notices	1 50
C. R. Stinson, picking moth nests	2 75
Temple & Conner, supplies for town house	1 47
Cemetery trustees	83 72
Harry Whiting, digging up pipe	2 77
Geo. W. Moore, repairs on pump at town house	14 13
James Lawrence, digging drain in Bragg field	13 00
John Nichols, work on drain in Bragg field	11 00



Lighting town house from Feb. 1, 1912, to Feb. 1, 1913	29 33
E. C. Eastman, collector and order books	3 00
E. C. Eastman, town warrants	48
Postage and stationery, inventory blanks	1 35
F. O. Lamson, two cords wood	10 00
Geo: M. Stearns, showing lines on real estate	6 00
H. P. Stearns, locating lines	3 00
W. L. Robinson, " "	1 00
Geo. F. Holt, repairs on town house	6 60
" " " filling fire extinguishers	6 30
" " " on drain pipe at town house	4 25
Geo. F. Holt, wood	1 25
Bounties on hedgehogs	5 60
H. G. Blood, postage	54
" " " recording births, mar- riages and deaths	2 40
Dr. Chandler, reporting births and deaths	50
Supervisor for checklist	1 20
A. P. Temple, postage	54
Temple & Blood, supplies for town house	12 08
Postage and stationery,	1 20
Telephoning	80
Geo. B. French, council	1 00
C. H. Raymond, expense to Nashua	1 05
Expenses Lyndeboro line	37
Dr. W. H. W. Hinds, fumigating Stearns house	5 00
J. M. Fox, fumigating Worthen house	3 00
Stamps and stationery, moth notices	1 56
Geo. W. Moore, repairs on town house	5 75

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\$655 24

### TOWN OFFICERS

Chas. H. Raymond, selectman	\$67 50
23 Days appraising real estate	57 50
E. W. Trow, selectman	44 00
23 days appraising real estate	57 50
W. H. Kendall, selectman	44 00
23 days appraising real estate	57 50
Harry G. Blood, town clerk	20 00

H. G. Blood, dogs killed	2 00	
“ “ “ auditor	2 00	
Geo. F. Holt, janitor	74 25	
C. O. Ingalls, supervisor	8 00	
J. M. Gleason, “	15 00	
A. P. Temple, treasurer	30 00	
“ “ “ auditor	2 00	
Milan Raymond, ballot clerk	5 00	
N. F. Hooper, “ “	5 00	
Geo. C. Hadley “ “	4 00	
C. H. Raymond, overseer of poor	5 00	
F. J. Conner, tax collector	64 77	
W. H. Kendall, moderator	7 50	
	<hr/>	\$572 52

## ABATEMENTS

F. O. Lamson, overtax on Green lot	12 00	
H. Proctor, poll tax, 1911	1 70	
O. Dustin, “ “	1 70	
Heirs David McCollom	4 80	
	<hr/>	\$20 20

## OVERSEER OF POOR

Paid Hillsboro County support of Carl Boutelle from Jan. 1, 1912 to Jan. 1, 1913	\$156 00
Received from town	\$156 00

C. H. RAYMOND,  
Overseer of Poor.

## STATE HIGHWAY

Amount due from state	\$528 52	
Amount due from town	881 37	
Amount due from state for repairs	100 00	
Amount due from town “ “	200 00	
Whole amount due state highway	<hr/>	\$1,709 89

## TOWN LIABILITIES

M. C. Gleason, note	\$ 400 00
C. H. Raymond, “	1,200 00
J. M. Kittredge, “	350 00
J. F. Perham, “	100 00
Jane Elliott, “	550 00

Mrs. J. H. Tarbell	300 00
J. H. Blood, library note	300 00
M. B. Raymond, library note	300 00
	<hr/> \$3,500 00

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

S. C. Coburn	\$ 50 00	
Miss Kendall	100 00	
Reuben Batchelder	100 00	
Luther Odell	200 00	
Sarah Holcomb	100 00	
John T. Perkins	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$600 00

## RECAPITULATION

Whole amount receipts	\$8,835 87	
Whole amount bills paid	7,319 99	
Balance in treasury	————	\$1,515 88
Town liabilities	\$5,181 37	
Assets	2,144 40	
	————	\$3,036 94
Town debt 1912	\$3,913 07	
Town debt 1913	3,036 97	
Decrease for year	————	\$876 10

All of which is respectfully submitted,  
 CHAS. H. RAYMOND, } Selectmen  
 EDWARD W. TROW, } of  
 WILLIAM H. KENDALL, } Mont Vernon.

We have this day examined the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
N. F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.

# REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

## DR.

Received from former treasurer	\$ 610 36	
"    "    F. J. Conner, uncol-		
lected taxes, 1911	483 44	
Rec'd F. J. Conner, taxes collected	5,985 83	
"    "    interest on taxes	22 50	
"    Railroad tax	144 77	
Savings bank tax	302 59	
Literary fund	46 92	
John T. Perkins, cemetery trust		
fund	50 00	
Sarah J. Holcomb, " " fund	100 00	
License on dogs	107 75	
Lot sold in cemetery	10 00	
C. H. Raymond, town histories	4 50	
Rent of town hall	121 75	
Pedlers' licenses	4 00	
Primaries	12 00	
Bounty on hedgehogs	9 60	
	—————	\$8,017 01

## CR.

By paying county tax	\$ 411 70	
state " "	904 00	
"    orders on selectmen	6,004 25	
	—————	\$7,319 99
Whole amount receipts	\$8,017 01	
Whole amount paid out	7,319 99	
Cash balance on hand	—————	\$697 02
Uncollected taxes 1912		818 86
Total assets Feb. 15, 1913	—————	\$1,515 88

ARTHUR P. TEMPLE,  
Town Treasurer.

We have this day examined the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
N. F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.

Mont Vernon, Feb. 22, 1913.

# REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

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I hereby submit the following report as Tax Collector  
for the year 1912:

Taxes assessed	\$6,805 69	
Interest on taxes	22 50	
	<hr/>	\$6,828 19
Taxes collected	\$5,986 83	
Interest "	22 50	
Due from taxes	818 86	
	<hr/>	\$6,828 19

FRANK J. CONNER,  
Collector.

# CEMETERY TRUSTEES

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## REPORT OF TREASURER

### RECEIPTS

From town	\$67 72	
Interest on Coburn fund	2 00	
“ “ Odell “	8 00	
“ “ Kendall “	4 00	
“ “ Batchelder fund	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$83 72

### EXPENDITURES

W. E. Nichols, labor	\$18 50	
Geo. M. Stearns, “	17 00	
Chas. W. Blood, “	1 00	
Geo. W. Pike,	1 80	
A. Winn, labor	24 00	
“ “ digging five graves	15 00	
Clement Stinson, picking brown tails	5 00	
Cement and flags	90	
Grass seed	52	
	<hr/>	\$83 72

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
Treasurer.



## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

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Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., Dr. to C. W. Blood,  
Road Agent as follows:

Norman Horton	\$ 87 75
A. Winn,	110 80
John Hopkins	60 75
C. W. Blood	281 97
C. F. Roberts	63 00
A. Milne	2 00
E. G. Averill	14 00
N. F. Hooper	12 00
John Hazen	24 80
J. D. Brown	95 15
G. C. Hadley	11 80
Walter Read	4 98
P. Herlihy	46 50
G. D. Kittredge, gravel	3 00
W. E. Richardson	24 40
Fred Lothar	9 00
A. J. Moreau	1 85
Temple & Blood	55
W. S. Stinson	1 95
Total	<hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: 0;"/> \$856 25

C. W. BLOOD,  
Road Agent.

# LIBRARY REPORT

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## REPORT OF TRUSTEES

Earnestly hoping that you are expecting to be importuned, exhorted, and commanded to *use* the library we hope not to disappoint you.

It is true that we have been telling you,—its generous patrons,—what a splendid institution you have created and how useful *it can be*.

Do you *know* that it is so? During the past year pamphlets and books on the *real* way to do some things on the farm have been placed on the shelves. They have remained there most of the time. If they are good then you should read them, and if they are not, then you should warn us against a further waste of money.

There are two thousand other volumes, the greater number of which everybody should read. If we seem insistent please believe that it is because we feel that the splendid results possible from this, the best of all our town institutions, are not being fully realized.

The dull hours, as well as the leisure ones, may all be made brighter and better by making the happy memories of the past blend with the future making of the present.

HENRY F. DODGE,  
JAY M. GLEASON,  
WILLARD P. WOODS,  
Trustees.

# REPORT OF TREASURER OF TOWN LIBRARY

For the Year Ending February 15, 1913.

## DR.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1912	\$ 7 57	
Town appropriation	150 00	
Cash from dues	22 14	
	<hr/>	\$179 71

## CR.

Cash for books and periodicals	\$57 95	
Librarian's services	74 00	
Printing reports 1912	2 00	
Insurance on books	8 25	
Supplies	1 59	
Wood for 1912	15 00	
Wood and kindling 1913	18 00	
Balance on hand	2 92	
	<hr/>	\$179 71

J. M. GLEASON, Treasurer.

We have this day examined the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY G. BLOOD,

N. F. HOOPER,

Auditors.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

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It is gratifying to be able to say that the conditions of our schools are improving. This is due to better teachers, more interest shown by parents and better teaching facilities.

It has been our aim to furnish our teachers with better text books. We have introduced the Gulick physiologies, Tarr McMurry geographies, and the Aldine system of reading, besides a great deal in the way of supplementary reading and other needed books. So that our book bills have been larger than they will need to be again. There should be a gradual growth in keeping abreast with the times. We are also providing maps, dictionaries and other material for better understanding of class work. There has been an improvement in the conditions of our school houses. Last year suitable toilets were provided for the Center school. This year new steel desks were placed in the Grammar room. By means of a benefit fund the walls and ceilings of the rooms in the Center school were thoroughly renovated and much rubbish removed, thereby improving the conditions as to cleanliness. Last year by the same means a modern complete set of maps in a spring roller case, a clock, hectograph and globe were presented the Grammar school.

By the generosity of the Wednesday club an oak book case and several fine pictures were added. There is still much to be desired in the way of repairs. The east and west school rooms should be painted and whitened. At the Center a new floor upstairs and proper ventilation are necessities. We cannot expect to accomplish everything in one season. We aim to begin inside and work outward. There are a great many things that children can learn at school aside from what is found in books. We cannot expect them to learn to respect public property unless we give them respectable environments.

For the past year the south school has been brought to the center. We know that a part and hope that the whole district realize the improvement in the work that the children are doing.

We have an excellent corps of teachers and are very glad to report a fine spirit of willingness on the part of teachers and pupils to do their best. We are paying more for our teachers and this will be necessary in order to keep normal graduates. But we believe that with proper management this can be accomplished without any larger appropriation for school purposes and when once the houses are in proper condition they may also be kept so without more school money. All this cannot be done without some one or all of the committee giving a great deal of their time to school work, and until Mont Vernon adopts supervision, which we hope it will in the near future, the person or persons should be properly remunerated for their work.

Respectfully submitted,  
FANNY C. AVERILL,  
Secretary School Board.

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REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY  
15, 1913

DR.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1912	\$ 76 95
School appropriation	1,700 00
Supplies	175 00
Literary fund	46 92
Dog tax	124 75
Tuition	148 36
	<hr/> \$2,271 98

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By paying orders of School Board	\$2,271 98
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J. M. GLEASON,  
Treasurer.

We have this day examined the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
N. F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

## Orders on District Treasurer.

## SUPPLIES

E. W. Rowles	\$18 73	
Silver Burdett & Co.	14 50	
American Book Co.	19 16	
E. C. Babb & Co.	143 01	
Ginn & Co.	1 92	
	<hr/>	\$197 32

## REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Geo. F. Averill, setting glass	\$ 2 00	
Vermont School Seat Co.	99 90	
Repairs on desks.	1 50	
Geo. F. Averill, labor on seats	7 50	
Geo. L. Tabbott, repairs at East school	1 50	
Frank Smith, repairing roof on Center school	3 59	
	<hr/>	\$115 99

## FUEL

J. F. Perham, wood and kindlings	\$11 50	
F. O. Lamson, wood	10 00	
Theodore Blood, packing in wood	50	
G. A. Coggin, " " "	3 50	
E. G. Averill, sawing and packing wood	1 50	
H. G. Blood, " wood	6 25	
	<hr/>	\$33 25

## JANITORS AND LABOR

E. A. Milne, janitor East school	\$ 2 40	
Elmer Hodgman " " "	3 95	
Annie E. Bibbee " " "	3 60	
Edith L. Knight " West school	4 25	
Mrs. A. D. Scott " " "	3 65	
Ernest and Bruce Russell, janitor Center school	34 00	
Ernest and Bruce Russell, janitor at Center school for 1911	3 20	
Geo. Blood, janitor work for 1911	1 00	
Lura Pike, cleaning	8 10	
Geo. F. Averill, cleaning after painters	6 00	
Mrs. W. W. Warren, cleaning	1 75	
Geo. L. Tabbott, cleaning closet	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$72 90



## TRANSPORTATION

Louis A. Trow	\$138 75
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## TUITION

Arthur F. Stearns	\$ 84 00
Town of Milford	129 44
"    "    Amherst	24 98
Colby Academy	12 00
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	\$250 42

## INSTRUCTION

N. Alberta Taylor	\$396 00
Abbie E. Kendall	396 00
Reta Ranson	96 00
Edith L. Knight	198 00
Margaret Norton	88 00
Mildred Brown	40 00
Olive Stratton	48 00
Annie E. Bibbee	108 00
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	\$1,370 00

## SALARIES

School Board	\$50 00
District treasurer	10 00
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	\$60 00

## MISCELLANEOUS

Repairing stove	\$ 50
Emerson & Son, curtains	6 50
J. E. Webster, clocks and repairs	3 65
Freight on seats	7 88
Mrs. F. C. Averill, express, postage and supplies	13 40
Humphrey, freight	. 82
J. M. Gleason, postage and stationery	60
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	\$33 35

## SUMMARY

Supplies	\$197 32
Repairs and improvements	115 99
Fuel	33 25
Janitors and labor	72 90
Transportation	138 75



Tuitions	250 42	
Instruction	1,370 00	
Salaries	60 00	
Miscellaneous	33 35	
	<hr/>	\$2,271 98

Money required for text books and scholars supplies for the coming fiscal year	\$175 00	
Money required for tuition	150 00	
Money required for flags and appur- tenances	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$235 00

Respectfully submitted,  
MRS. FANNY C. AVERILL,  
For the School Board.

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1912.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 20	Brandon, Vt	Walter A. Grover....	Brandon, Vt 31	31	White	Electrician ...	Brandon, Vt. ..	Samuel F. Grover .. Myra Perry .....	Sudbury, Vt..... N. Y. State .....	.....	.....	J. C. Fisher, Clergyman Brandon, Vt.
		Willette Silvernail ..	Mt. Vernon 31	31	White	.....	Mont Vernon ..	William Stevens .. Helen Ober.....	Mont Vernon..... Johnson, Vt.....	.....	.....	
May 23	Milford.....	Herbert Edwards ...	Mt. Vernon 43	43	White	Chauffeur ....	Parsonsfieldre	George W. Edwards .. Eunice Eastman ..	Newfield, Me..... Parsonsfield, Me.....	.....	.....	J. Kirkwood Craig, Clergyman, Milford
		Anna L. Cameron...	Boston, Mass 24	24	White	Nurse .....	St. Johns, N.B.	Edward L. Cameron..	Boston, Mass..... Bowin Queen's Co. N. B. ..	.....	.....	

# Births Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon for the Year Ending December 31, 1912.

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of the Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.				Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
			Male.	Female.	Living or still-born.	No. of child.							
Jan 10	Mont Vernon	Arthur Edward ...	M ...	...	1	4	Charles A McIntosh ...	Laura S. Banford.....	All White	Mont Vernon...	Farmer.....	.....	.....
April 23	"	Winifred Joslin ...	M ...	...	1	6	William E. Nichols ...	Florence A. Joslin .....	All White	"	"	.....	.....
July 19	"	Leroy S .....	M ...	...	1	1	Leroy S. Draper.....	Edith M. Barton .....	All White	"	"	.....	.....

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1912.

Date of death.	Age.			Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
	Years.	Months.	Days.		Sex.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
Feb. 3	Nettie M. Hooper	51	11	13	Mont Vernon..	F	All	Lyndeboro	Mont Vernon	Alexander Carson	Margaretta Hopkins
Mar. 24	Goldie G. Edwards	32	6	10	Hollis, Me....	F	White	Baxton, Maine	Standish, Me....	John W. Graffar	Ida M. Rumery
Apr. 22	Harriet A. Dean	51	7	9	Mont Vernon..	F	White	Francetown NH	Milford	Geo. F. Dean	Alma Holt
July 6	Lelitia J. Cummings	68	4	26	Brunswick, Me	F	White	Harpswell, Me..	Brunswick, Me..	David Stover	Eliza Conant
July 8	George G. Averill	80	4	26	Mont Vernon..	M	White	Mont Vernon	Mont Vernon	Jesse Averill	Olive Kendall
June 18	Reuben Batchelder	76	4	12	"	M	White	Lyndeboro	Mont Vernon	Kimball Batchelder	Mary Brown
Aug. 28	Harvey P. Stearns	57	12	"	"	M	White	Concord, Mass	Amherst	Seth Stearns	Maria Wilkins
Sept. 1	Sarah P. Brown	72	3	6	"	F	White	Concord, Mass	Carlisle, Mass	Amose Brown	Hannah French
Oct. 16	George W. Averill	55	7	6	"	M	White	Mont Vernon	Mont Vernon	John Averill	Nancy Smith
Nov. 3	Maria N. Bruce	71	1	13	Cambridge, Ms.	F	White	Boston, Mass	Deering	Robert Tuten	Johannah Quint
Nov. 15	Daniel Richardson	75	8	23	Portland, Me..	M	White	Skowhegan, Me	Starks, Me	Daniel Richardson	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief,  
HARRY G. BLOOD, Town Clerk.

THE  
INVOICES AND TAXES

OF THE

**Town of Mont Vernon**

TAKEN

APRIL 1, 1912

# INVOICE AND TAXES

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
George W. Averill	Home place	\$1800	40	\$3800	
	Field	400			
	Wood lot	200			
Geo. G. Averill	Home place	1850	25	2000	\$2000
	Wood lot	150			
Edward G. Averill			71	700	190
Rufus G. Averill			15	600	100
Frank P. Averill					100
Daniel Alexander			50	1200	200
Nancy Averill			10	200	
George F. Averill					250
Sarah Barker			70	1500	316
Geo. Blanchard					100
Mrs. George Blanchard			120	300	90
Geo. H. Batchelder					100
Mary J. Blood	House	1200	29	1900	
	½ Ryan lot	600			
	Richardson lot	1100			
	Soldier's exmpt.	1000			
C. W. Blood	Farm	1000	130	1700	240
	Swett pasture	600			
	Land	100			
H. G. Blood	Home place	2000	110	3500	1030
	Land old farm	1500			
J. H. Blood	Home place	2000	20	3160	560
	Conant field	500			
	Marden field	150			
	½ Marden lot	50			
	½ McCollom lot	60			
	Standing timber	400			
Ida Blood				1300	
Chas. E. Blood			20	700	140
Frank Blood					100
Harvey Boutelle					100
Hiram Brown					200
James A. Brown				200	
Chas. D. Brown					100
Joseph D. Brown			80	1200	400
James H. Brown					180
Maria Brown, heirs			100	4500	324
Geo. E. Bates & Co.	Grand Hotel	15,000		16,700	700
	Gerrish lot	200			
	Cottage	1500			



Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
Everett Bates					100
Heirs of A. S. Bruce				700	500
Heirs of Geo. E. Boutelle				3000	-
Mary R. Best	Batchelder farm		168	2800	1000
Edward H. Best	Home farm and land		686	12,700	5410
	James Riley farm			2750	
John E. Corliss	Home farm	1500	75	1565	330
	Meadow	65			
Joseph G. Carlton	Home farm	2600	248	3860	830
	Parker, Trow lots	300			
	Cloutman lot	200			
	Averill lot	50			
	McCollom lot	60			
	Marden field	50			
	½ Ryan lot	600			
S. E. Curtis			50	1300	200
Heirs of W. H. Conant				1500	
Heirs of Joseph Conant			65	4500	
Geo. W. Coggin	House	1800		2000	100
	Shop	200			
Holden Crossley					331
Frank Conner					100
Joseph Davidson			35	600	180
Henry F. Dodge	Home farm	6500	118	7300	3490
	Old place	200			
	Grand wood lot	600			
Caroline S. Davis			2	1400	
James Dunlop			1	1400	100
L. S. Draper			60	1300	265
John Endrejat			6	1900	200
Jane Elliott			80	1200	
H. Edwards					225
A. J. Emery			10	1000	185
John M. Fox			1	1800	
W. H. Fox			6	1000	100
Annie P. Foster					500
John Follansbee					100
Frank Ferdinand				4200	36000
Mary C. Gleason					400
J. M. Gleason	Home place	2000	41	2700	710
	Cemetery field	600			
	Sprout land	100			
E. M. Gutterson			30	1200	200
H. H. Fields					100
Albert Herrick			10	2200	1700
Geo. C. Hadley			100	2700	600
John Hazen	Home farm	1200	60	2200	370
	Timber land	1000			

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
James Herlihy					100
Patrick Herlihy			80	1000	510
E. Hodgman					250
C. Hill			80	1400	314
Geo. F. Holt					250
W. D. Hooper			55	1300	67
N. F. Hooper			80	1800	280
L. F. Humphrey			1	2000	1380
Naman Horton			90	2400	646
John R. Horn			2	500	100
John Hopkins			90	800	450
Heirs of Joanna Holt			1	1000	
H. A. Hutchinson	Home farm	5500	120	10,550	3590
	Crosby pasture	300	37		
	H.F.Dodge land	1300	190		
	Purgatory lot	200	26		
	Carkin lot	300	70		
	Blair lot	700	40		
	Riley farm	800	100		
	Upton lot	800	35		
	Wright lot	350	20		
	Wilkins lot	200	12		
	Trow lot	100	30		
Lucy J. Hutchinson			162	2600	
Geo. F. Hagar					100
Chas. S. Isola			40	650	1433
Maud H. Isola			6	5000	
I. W. Johnson					370
W. P. Jenkins	House	1200		1500	300
	Land	300			
W. H. Kendall	House and barn	4000		6400	475
	Store	1000			
	Timber land	1200			
	Manning lot	150			
	Field	50			
Geo. D. Kittredge	Home farm	5000	130	8200	10177
	Wyman farm	3200	55		
Frank O. Lamson			600	21,000	1482
Marrietta Lamson					300
James Lawrence			50	600	210
Joseph Lacey			40	600	
Harry Leighton					225
Chas. McIntosh			50	1500	
Frank Myers	Soldier's exmpt.	1000	50	1500	150
John T. McCollom			1	2200	75
Nelson Merchant			40	800	490
Emma J. Marvell			2	3400	
Ralph Morgan					100
A. J. Moreau					250



Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
W. E. Nichols					100
Mrs. W. E. Nichols			3	140	
Wesley Nichols			60	600	430
Mrs. L. E. Philips	House	3000	14	5100	
	Cottage	1500			
	Wood lot	600			
J. F. Perham	House	1200	35	1900	485
	Pinkham lot	200			
	Ryan lot	400			
	Burnham lot	50			
	Beech hill lot	50			
Geo. W. Pike	House	800	35	1600	590
	Sprout land	400			
	Travis field	400			
Lizzie Parker			6	1200	400
H. P. Peck					400
C. H. Raymond	Home farm	4000	130	7500	3475
	Hopkins pasture	3500			
M. H. Raymond	Campbell lot	1100		2100	710
	Trow lot	1000			
Daniel Richardson			44	1800	393
W. L. Robinson			150	2800	568
Benjamin F. Roberts			8	700	150
Clarence Roberts			4	250	100
H. F. Roberts					100
Will Richardson			100	400	232
W. E. Russell			65	1400	237
Rabador & Campbell				2500	
H. O. Reed					108
Walter Reed			18	300	150
Mary Remington			130	2200	
A. W. Remington					660
J. M. Ritchie					180
A. S. Stearns	Marden field	500	4	4500	250
Lizzie Stearns			48	800	
Harvey Stearns			31	500	175
A. J. Stearns			4	150	100
Geo. M. Stearns			33	400	150
W. S. Stinson			16	1700	150
Heirs of William Stevens			30	3000	
Frank Smith	House and field	2000	27	2650	160
	Sprout land	350			
	Meadow, sprout	100			
	Russell field	200			
H. A. Smith	Home farm	3300	93	4300	730
	Travis lot	1000			
W. S. A. Starrett	Home place	3600	53	4500	175
	Sprout land	600			
	Wood lot	300			

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
Edward Shattuck			2	100	100
Javis Smith			2	100	
Emil Secomb			45	700	
Geo. D. Secomb					560
Lizzie Slate			1	400	
Cecil Smith					100
W. A. Starrett					100
W. A. and Alice Starrett			2	1800	
A. A. Trow	Home farm	122		3400	
	Wallace hill pasture	78		700	
J. S. Trow			77	2500	698
L. A. Trow	Home farm		90	2200	968
	$\frac{1}{2}$ of Herlihy farm		3	350	
E. W. Trow	$\frac{1}{2}$ Herlihy farm		3	350	1395
Geo. F. Tarbell			80	1800	540
Heirs of J. H. Tarbell	Home farm	5300	200	13,300	
	Kinson place	8000			
Heirs of John Trevitt			37	3700	4275
A. P. Temple	Home place		1	2600	
	Sprout land		40	700	200
Temple & Conner					2000
Edith Talbott			90	1200	
G. L. Talbott					100
Alonzo Winn			8	1000	180
W. P. Woods			1	900	100
Miles Wallace			50	1600	452
S. T. Worthen			150	5000	650
W. W. Warner			90	600	
John Whiting					100
Henry Whiting					100
Sarah A. Weston			40	1100	95
Geo. Wyatt			20	100	100

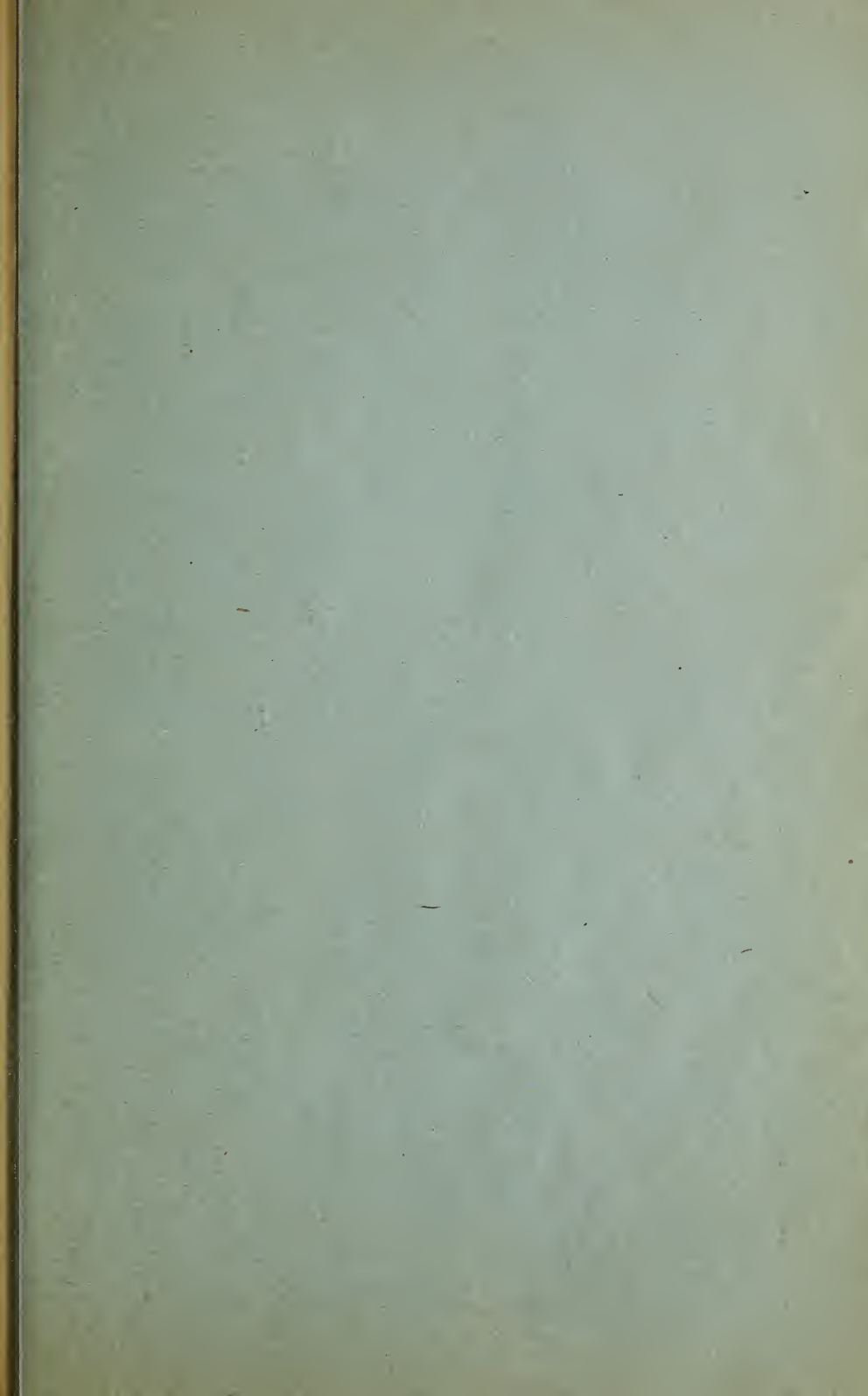
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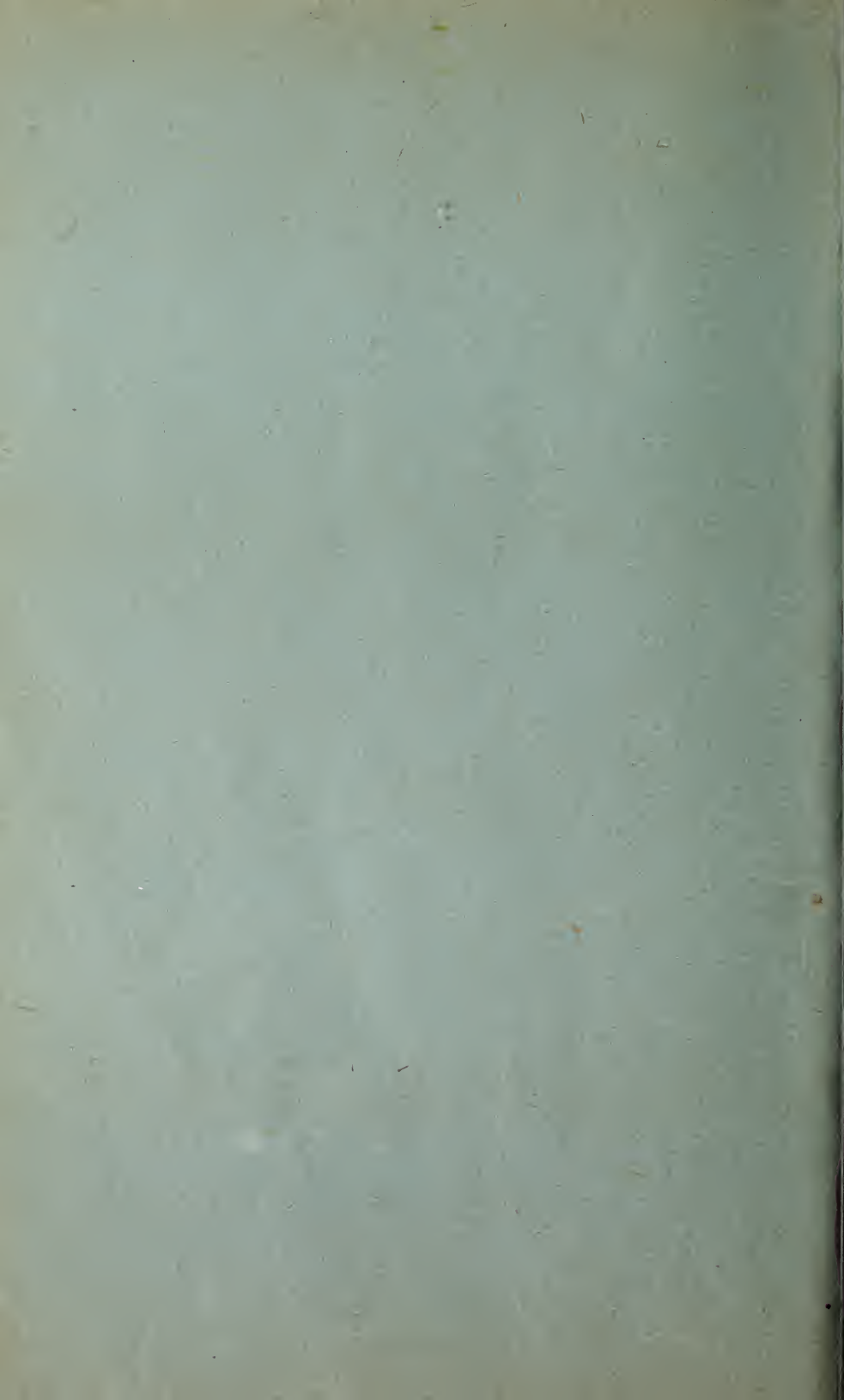
Chester B. Averill		24	2650	
Edward Alexander		3	150	
Heirs John Batchelder		82	700	
Heirs Mrs F. Bills		3	100	
L. E. Brown		7	50	
L. E. Brown		23	450	
Alonzo W. Bragg	Widow Chase house	4	3000	100
	Geo. Pike house		600	
	Lorena Smith house		1500	
	wood lot		200	
John Bullard		2	20	
W. H. Bowen	Beech Hill pasture	23	250	
	Asa Carson land		250	
	John Rand land	50	250	
	Haggatt land	6	100	

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
C. Bosclair			70	200	
Bertha Blanpied			1	50	
Etta M. and Perley Blair			12	500	
Heirs John H. Colby			4	3500	
Heirs Albert Conant			1	2400	
Heirs Kilburn Curtis			34	700	
			10	200	
Asher Curtis			14	500	
Abbie Cram			85	1000	
Mary J. Campbell			57	415	
Mrs. Elijah Clark			1	3500	
Eli C. Curtis			11	900	
Geo. J. Carson			40	600	
Geo. E. Crowley			6	1800	200
Clark & Holt			40	1500	
Charles Colby			2	30	
Benj. Dodge			40	450	
Electric Light Co. (Milford)				685	
C. Hubbard				1500	
E. B. Hall				500	
D. J. Hutchinson	Home		20	2800	200
	Wood lot		22	4000	
A. W. & J. A. Howison			10	1100	
Heirs Sarah Holcomb			12	300	
Heirs L. B. Hutchinson			40	600	
Frank Hartshorn Co.	D. Kittredge pasture		28	1500	
	Amos Green land		44	1500	
	Cleves land		12	700	
	Weston land		10	100	
	S. L. Story farm		100	3500	
	Lewis land		8	1200	
	E. J. Flanders land		20	1900	
	Perkins pasture		26	250	
	Land, Beech hill		117	7500	
	Marvell & Harris land		15	2500	
	A. Trow, wood lot		50	6000	
	Parker land		7	500	
	H. Perkins lot		10	600	
	G. Averill wood lots		37	4500	
	S. F. Livingston lot		10	400	
	Gilson wood lot		25	2200	
	Elmer Trow land		33	500	
	Standing timber			1350	
Geo. F. Jones			2	300	
Henry Lazarus			8	6500	
Heirs Daniel McCollom			6	400	
Heirs Geo. A. Marden	Marden house			1000	
	M. G. Rotch house		2	2500	
Heirs E. G. Martin			2	1800	

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
J. Mudgett			50	400	
Heirs Sarah McQuesten			40	1500	
Harry Melendy			37	1800	
C. E. Kendall			75	750	
Frank Kendall			50	650	
E. I. Kendall			2	200	
Susan Kendall			40	1400	
Aaron Russell			10	100	
Roby & Cummings			80	400	
Heirs William Ryan			8	500	
Reed Brothers					500
Amory Stevens			1	800	
Lucia Stiles			13	300	
Paul Stucklen			4	4000	
Bertha Sprague			20	700	
Heirs Henry Stinson			8	900	
Edward L. Smith			6	700	
C. H. V. Smith			60	600	
S. Marion Shattuck			30	600	
Trustees McCollom Inst.				2500	
J. P. Trow & Son			60	3600	
C. L. Trow			30	600	
Lovell Wright			50	1000	
Albert West			10	250	
J. F. Wellington			4	3600	45
Alice P. Wilson			60	3200	
Heirs J. R. Wilkins				5300	
Charles Upton			10	800	
	Rebecca Upton place		1	100	
David Whiting & Sons	Perham lots		60	300	
	Averill and Stevens lots		40	800	
	Carkin & McCollom lots		30	400	
	Holt farm		40	160	
	Standing timber, wood			500	200
Nashua Lumber Co.	Sprout lands		107	800	
	Harwood lot		75	400	
	Odell wood lot		50	3500	
White Mt. Freezer Co.	Standing timber			20,600	
	Mill			1000	
Lemuel Fuller			37	200	
	Wood				275
Ernert Parker			20	50	
John Pesterfield			70	1650	
Page Brothers			30	500	
F. Platts			10	150	
D. E. Proctor			10	250	
C. L. Perham			20	150	
W. H. Perham			3	700	
Rodney Prince			7	650	







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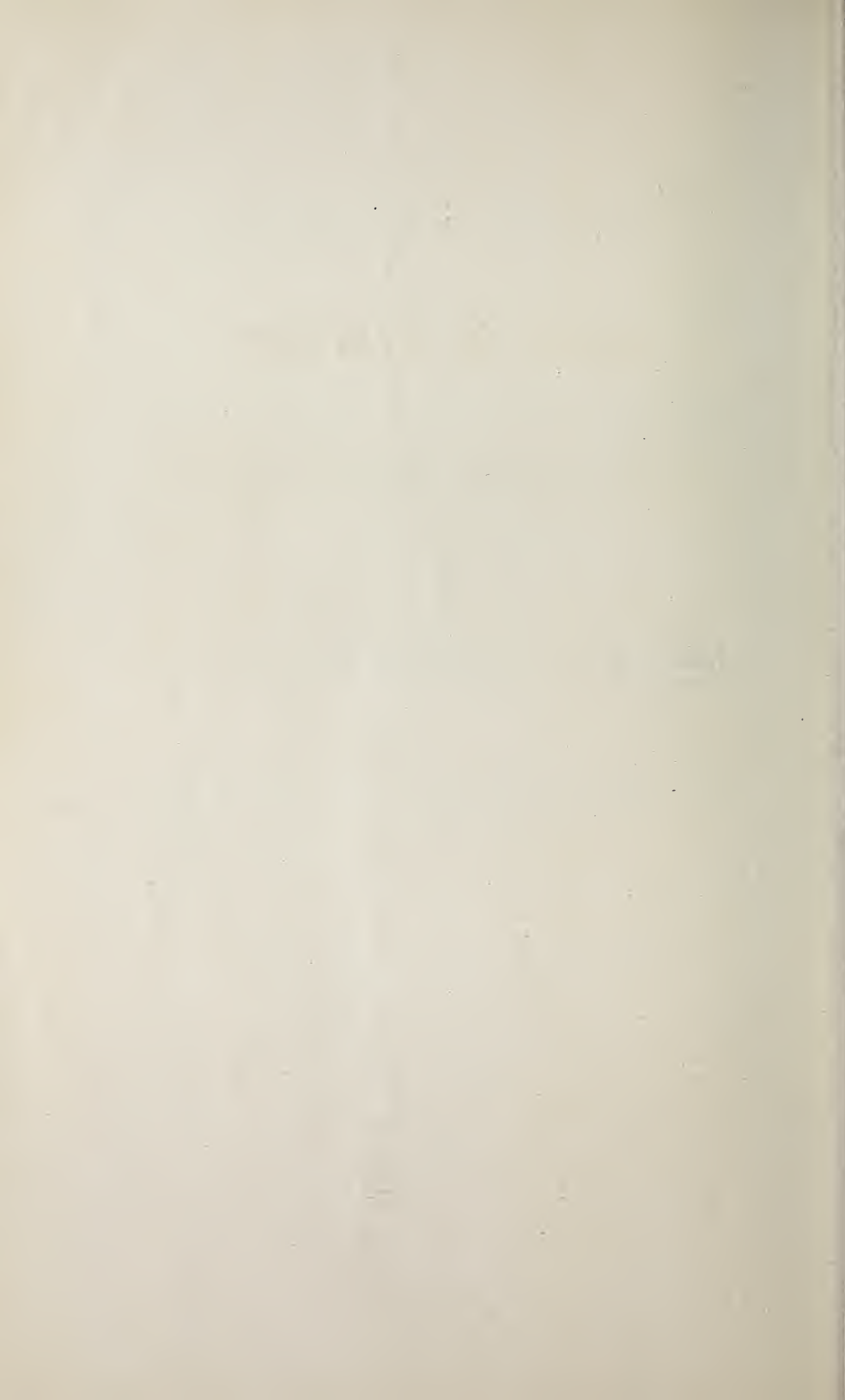
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## REPORT OF SELECTMEN

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The Selectmen respectfully present to the town of Mont Vernon their annual report of receipts and expenditures for the year ending February 14, 1914.

### RECEIPTS

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1913	\$ 697 02
Amount of taxes assessed	6,808 91
Interest on taxes, 1913	4 00
Interest on taxes, 1912	9 50
License on dogs	83 50
Railroad tax	41 27
Savings bank tax	271 09
Literary fund	40 02
Rent of town hall, piano, and histories sold	169 02
Bounty on hedgehogs	7 60
Peddlers' licenses	6 00
Harriet A. Dean, cemetery trust fund	300 00
Lots sold in cemetery	10 00
For transportation of Mrs. Towne	3 00
	<hr/> \$8,450 93

### EXPENDITURES

State tax	\$904 00
County tax	411 70
Jane Elliott, note and interest	415 65
M. B. Raymond, interest on library note	12 00
J. M. Kittredge, interest on note	14 00
Mrs. J. H. Tarbell, " " "	12 00
J. F. Perham, " " "	4 00
C. H. Raymond, " " "	48 00

J. H. Blood, library note and interest	112 00	
Souhegan National bank, interest on money borrowed	14 16	
	<hr/>	\$1,947 51

## SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Appropriation for schools	\$1,700 00	
"    supplies	175 00	
"    repairs	300 00	
Dog tax	107 75	
Literary fund	40 02	
Tuitions, etc.	183 06	
	<hr/>	\$2,505 83
Appropriation for park	\$50 00	
Appropriation for library	150 00	
	<hr/>	\$200 00

## MISCELLANEOUS

Lighting streets from Jan. 1, 1913, to Jan. 1, 1914	\$372 00
Lighting town hall	35 35
W. B. Rotch, printing reports and notices	45 50
C. R. Stinson, picking moth nests	4 75
Cemetery trustees	97 00
F. O. Lamson, collector's book	1 75
"    three cords of wood	15 00
Postage, order book, warrants, sta- tionery, telephone	4 90
Mrs. Sadie A. Foss, for injuries on sidewalk	25 00
Bounty on hedgehogs	7 60
John Hazen, for repairing cross road	25 00
G. L. Carpenter, repairing bell	13 50
J. M. Fox, for Memorial day	25 00
Norman Horton, housing road ma- chine	3 00
Kendall & Wilkins, dynamite, etc.	10 65

C. H. Raymond, forest fires and posting bills	8 02
J. F. Perham, freight and carting town ladders	3 05
Electric lamps	1 82
Dr. Hilton, reporting births and deaths	1 00
W. H. Fox, labor on town pump and ladders	2 99
W. S. Stinson, work on sidewalk	1 95
J. H. Blood, " " " "	4 00
H. B. Leighton, labor on Bragg ditch	1 50
Town ladders	19 45
G. L. Hilton, fumigating Worthen house	15 00
G. L. Hilton, fumigating C. M. Hill house	5 00
H. H. Barber, repairing town pump	4 65
Harry B. Leighton, 33 hens killed in 1912	24 75
Tuning piano	3 00
Supplies for town to Feb. 15, 1914	7 65
Temple & Blood, supplies	9 74
Geo. F. Holt, filling extinguishers	5 00
Postage	98
W. F. French, supplies for board of health	5 56
W. F. French, 1 gallon acid	1 00
J. M. Fox, expense to Manchester, tax commissioners' meeting, May and January	6 00
Geo. F. Averill, expense to Manchester, tax commissioners' meeting, May and January	6 00
Freight on creosote	25
Housing and feeding tramps	2 00
H. G. Blood, reporting births, deaths and marriages	4 90
H. G. Blood, juror notices	40
" " dog license book, etc.	1 50
" " stamps	50

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 \$833 66

## OVERSEER OF POOR

Paid Hillsboro County, support of		
Carl Boutelle from Jan. 1,		
1913, to April 1, 1913	\$39 00	
C. H. Raymond, taking Mrs.		
Towne to county farm	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$42 00

## TOWN OFFICERS

John M. Fox, selectman	\$ 69 00	
Frank J. Conner, "	45 00	
George F. Averill, "	45 00	
Henry G. Blood, clerk	20 00	
George H. Holt, janitor	84 00	
Arthur P. Temple, treasurer	30 00	
C. H. Raymond, overseer of poor	5 00	
George W. Coggin, tax collector	62 36	
J. M. Gleason, supervisor, 1913	5 00	
W. S. Stinson, " 1912	13 00	
John W. Follansbee, dog police	1 20	
Harry G. Blood, auditor, 1912	2 00	
W. S. Stinson, supervisor, 1913	4 00	
Salary school board	50 00	
" " treasurer	10 00	
N. F. Hooper, auditor, 1912	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$447 56

## ABATEMENTS

Charles F. Isola, on "auto," 1912	\$12 00	
H. H. Fields, poll tax, 1912	1 20	
J. M. Ritchie, " " "	1 20	
Charles Raymond, overtax, 1913	18 00	
J. H. Blood, " "	4 80	
	<hr/>	\$37 20

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

S. C. Coburn	\$ 50 00
Miss Kendall	100 00
Reuben Batchelder	100 00



Luther Odell	200 00	
Sarah Holcomb	100 00	
John T. Perkins	50 00	
Harriet A. Dean	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$900 00

### RECAPITULATION

Whole amount receipts	\$8,450 93	
Whole amount bills paid	7,167 29	
Balance in treasury	<hr/>	\$1,283. 64
Town liabilities	\$3,500 00	
Assets	1,283 64	
	<hr/>	\$2,216 36
Town debt, 1913	\$3,036 97	
Town debt, 1914	2,216 36	
Decrease for year	<hr/>	\$820 61

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JOHN M. FOX,	} Selectmen of Mont Vernon.
FRANK J. CONNER,	
GEO. F. AVERILL,	

We have this day examlned the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEO. C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.

### TOWN LIABILITIES

C. H. Raymond	\$1,200. 00	
J. M. Kittredge	350 00	
J. F. Perham	100 00	
Jane Elliott	150 00	
Mrs. J. H. Tarbell	300 00	
J. H. Blood, library note	200 00	
M. B. Raymond, " "	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,600 00

## REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

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### DR.

To cash on hand Feb. 14, 1913	\$ 697 02	
Rec'd from F. J. Conner, uncollect- ed taxes 1912	193 40	
Rec'd from F. J. Conner interest on taxes 1912	9 50	
Rec'd from G. W. Coggin taxes col- lected 1913	6,236 74	
Rec'd from G. W. Coggin interest on taxes 1913	4 00	
Rec'd Railroad tax	41 27	
“ Savings bank tax	271 09	
“ Literary fund	40 02	
Harriet Dean cemetery trust fund	300 00	
License on dogs	83 50	
Rec'd rent Town hall	174 98	
“ Bounty on hedgehogs	7 60	
“ Lots sold in cemetery	10 00	
“ Pedlars' licenses	6 00	
“ Hillsboro County for trans- portation on Mrs. Towne	3 00	
Rec'd discount on electric lights	22	
“ forest fire account	1 44	
“ State Highway account	371 15	
	<hr/>	\$8,450 93

### CR.

By paying county tax	\$ 411 70	
“ “ state tax	904 00	
“ “ orders on Selectmen	7,035 06	
“ “ interest on two notes	14 16	
“ cash on hand	86 01	
	<hr/>	\$8,450 93

Cash on hand	\$ 86 01
Uncollected taxes 1912	625 46
"    "    1913	572 17
Total assets Feb. 14, 1914	————— \$1,283 64

ARTHUR P. TEMPLE;  
Town Treasurer.

We have this day examined the above account and  
find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEO. C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

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I hereby submit the following report as Tax Collector for the year 1913.

Taxes assessed	\$6,808 91	
Interest	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,812 91
 Taxes collected	 \$6,236 74	
Interest collected	4 00	
Due from taxes	572 17	
	<hr/>	\$6,812 91

GEORGE W. COGGIN,  
Collector.

# CEMETERY TRUSTEES

## REPORT OF TREASURER

### RECEIPTS

From town	\$79 00	
Interest on Coburn fund	2 00	
"    "    Odell    "	8 00	
"    "    Kendall  "	4 00	
"    "    Batchelder fund	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$97 00

### EXPENDITURES

A. W. Winn, labor and digging graves	\$79 50	
Homer Curtis, picking brown-tails 1913	4 00	
Homer Curtis, picking brown-tails 1914	12 00	
Will Fox, repairs on lawn mower	1 00	
Grass seed	50	
	<hr/>	\$97 00

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

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Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., Dr., to F. O. Lamson, Road Agent, as follows :

F. O. Lamson	\$487 15
J. D. Brown	165 38
N. W. Horton	134 75
A. W. Howison	28 44
D. C. Alexander	174 50
Benjamin F. Roberts	85 00
W. E. Richardson	34 00
C. H. Hager	48 63
J. E. Hopkins	33 75
Alonzo Winn	66 95
Henry Roberts	32 00
Clarence Roberts	70 00
James Lawrence	60 00
George Carpenter	7 00
Wesley Nichols	9 00
Edwin Shattuck	25 33
Fred Lothar	131 00
Geo. C. Hadley	8 10
Concord Foundry Co.	12 00
E. W. Trow	119 75
Miles Wallace	88 50
Homer E. Curtis	37 50
Oscar Richardson	30 50
H. O. Reed	76 00
W. A. Reed	69 50
F. P. Carson,	97 50
Elmer Gutterson	83 00
John Nichols	83 00
W. E. Nichols	152 00
H. F. Dodge	7 15
Hiram Brown	4 00
William Brown	27 50
J. G. Carlton	5 40

Frank Marden	15 00
S. E. Curtis	2 50
Temple & Blood	5 85
C. O. Ingalls	2 50
J. M. Gleason	17 45
John H. Dodge	8 00

## BREAKING ROADS FOR 1914:

G. C. Hadley	6 00	
Rufus G. Averill	50	
Hiram Brown	3 15	
W. E. Russell	1 80	
R. J. Horne	2 75	
F. O. Lamson, labor and cash paid out	4 25	
		<hr/> \$2,564 01
Rec'd town appropriation	\$972 28	
" for repairs on state highway	270 25	
" for state highway	1,092 00	
" from Edward H. Best	211 00	
" for breaking roads	18 48	
		<hr/> \$2,564 01

FRANK O. LAMSON, Road Agent.

We have this day examined the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEO. C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.



## State Highway Joint Fund

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State contribution	\$ 868 52	
Town        "	2,731 87	
	<hr/>	\$2,600 39
State disbursement	\$ 35 01	
Town disbursement approved	1,092 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,127 01
Balance in state treasury	\$545 61	
Balance in town treasury	927 77	
	<hr/>	\$1,473 38
		<hr/>
		\$2,600 39

### MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

State contribution	\$100 00	
Town        "	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$300 00
State disbursement	\$ 85 56	
Town        "	187 00	
Balance in state treasury	14 44	
Balance in town treasury	13 00	
	<hr/>	\$300 00

# LIBRARY REPORT

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## REPORT OF TREASURER OF TOWN LIBRARY

For the year ending February 15, 1914.

### DR.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1914	\$ 2 92	
Town appropriation	150 00	
Cash from dues	20 30	
	<hr/>	\$173 22

### CR.

Cash for books and periodicals	\$55 20	
Librarian's services	74 50	
Insurance on books	8 25	
Supplies	30	
Wood	22 00	
Balance on hand	12 97	
	<hr/>	\$173 22

J. M GLEASON,  
Treasurer.

Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1914.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.

## SCHOOL REPORT

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The School Board submit the following report.

At the beginning of the school year there was a radical change in our force of teachers. We believe that those who took the place of our old ones have kept up the same good standard in the school work.

Each year helps to complete the system of grades now adopted in our village schools, and while we try to keep the pupils in the rural schools graded, poor attendance and other causes make it nearly impossible to follow the program prescribed by the state. It was a matter of great satisfaction to the board, and should be to the people, that practically every pupil who was graduated from the grammar school last June, passed the entrance examinations to the Milford High school. The only exception was wholly on account of illness. The pupils passed in every subject excepting English, which was one of the last studies in school.

The special appropriation for repairs was not all used on account of inability to get the work finished during vacation, but with the consent of the people will be used to finish repairing the inside of the West school, and to paint the outsides of both East and West schoolhouses.

A new set of graded English books have been put into the schools this year, and various minor additions to the comfort of teachers and pupils. It should be the aim of every citizen to help rather than hinder the schools. Blows aimed at the schools descend upon the heads of your own children. So let us be careful to know whereof we speak, and exercise discretion as well as charity.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. FANNIE C. AVERILL,  
Secretary.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRU-  
ARY 15, 1914

DR.

School appropriation	\$1,700 00	
Supplies	175 00	
Tuition	183 06	
Repairs	300 00	
Dog tax	107 75	
Literary fund	40 02	
Salaries of school board and treasurer	60 00	
	—————	\$2,565 83

CR.

By paying orders of school board	\$2,308 30	
Salaries of school board and treasurer	60 00	
Balance in treasury	197 53	
	—————	\$2,565 83

J. M. GLEASON,  
District Treasurer.

We have this day examined the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEO. C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.

Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1914.

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Orders on the District Treasurer :

## SUPPLIES

E. E. Babb & Co.	\$58 48	
Milton Bradley Co.	1 16	
Dustless Brush Co.	3 50	
Educational Pub. Co.	6 30	
E. P. Dutton & Co.	12 00	
W. F. French	1 44	
Temple & Blood	9 97	
	<hr/>	\$92 85

## FUEL

Geo. W. Pike	\$ 7 00	
E. G. Averill	10 00	
J. F. Perham	35 40	
Henry Kelso	2 85	
Lemuel Fuller	7 00	
F. O. Lamson, sawing	1 25	
John Hazen, "	2 68	
Louis Trow, "	11 25	
	<hr/>	\$77 43

## TRANSPORTATION

Mrs. Rufus Averill	\$ 20 00	
Mrs. Clem Hill	32 00	
Mrs. E. W. Trow	5 00	
F. O. Lamson	25 00	
Walter Reed	25 00	
Louis Trow	198 75	
	<hr/>	\$305 75

## JANITORS AND LABOR

Edward Milne	\$4 50
Annie E. Bibbee	3 60

Lura Pike	4 00	
Edith Nichols	5 00	
Theo Blood	1 00	
Bruce Russell	11 00	
Ernest Russell	12 00	
Alwin Carleton	6 00	
Edith L. Knight	3 00	
Oliver Carleton	2 00	
Geo. F. Averill	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$56 10

## INSTRUCTION

Abbie E. Kendall	\$144 00	
N. Alberta Taylor	144 00	
Rinda A. Stone	264 00	
Alice G. Starrett	242 00	
Annie E. Bibbee	120 00	
Alice Smith	180 00	
Edith L. Knight	218 00	
Mary Goldrick	70 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,382 00

## TUITION

Town of Milford	\$183 06	
Arthur F. Stearns	24 00	
	<hr/>	\$207 06

## SALARIES

Salary of school board	\$50 00	
“ “ district treasurer	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$60 00

## REPAIRS

Frank Smith, repairs at Center school	\$110 95	
Frank Smith, repairs at West school	10 55	
“ “ “ East “	52 42	
E. G. Averill, setting glass	85	
	<hr/>	\$174 77



## MISCELLANEOUS

Mrs. F. C. Averill, postage and stationery	\$3 90	
Mrs. F. C. Averill, expense and freight	4 34	
Mrs. F. C. Averill, thermometer and order book	1 30	
J. M. Gleason, postage	60	
"          "          express	2 20	
	<hr/>	\$12 34

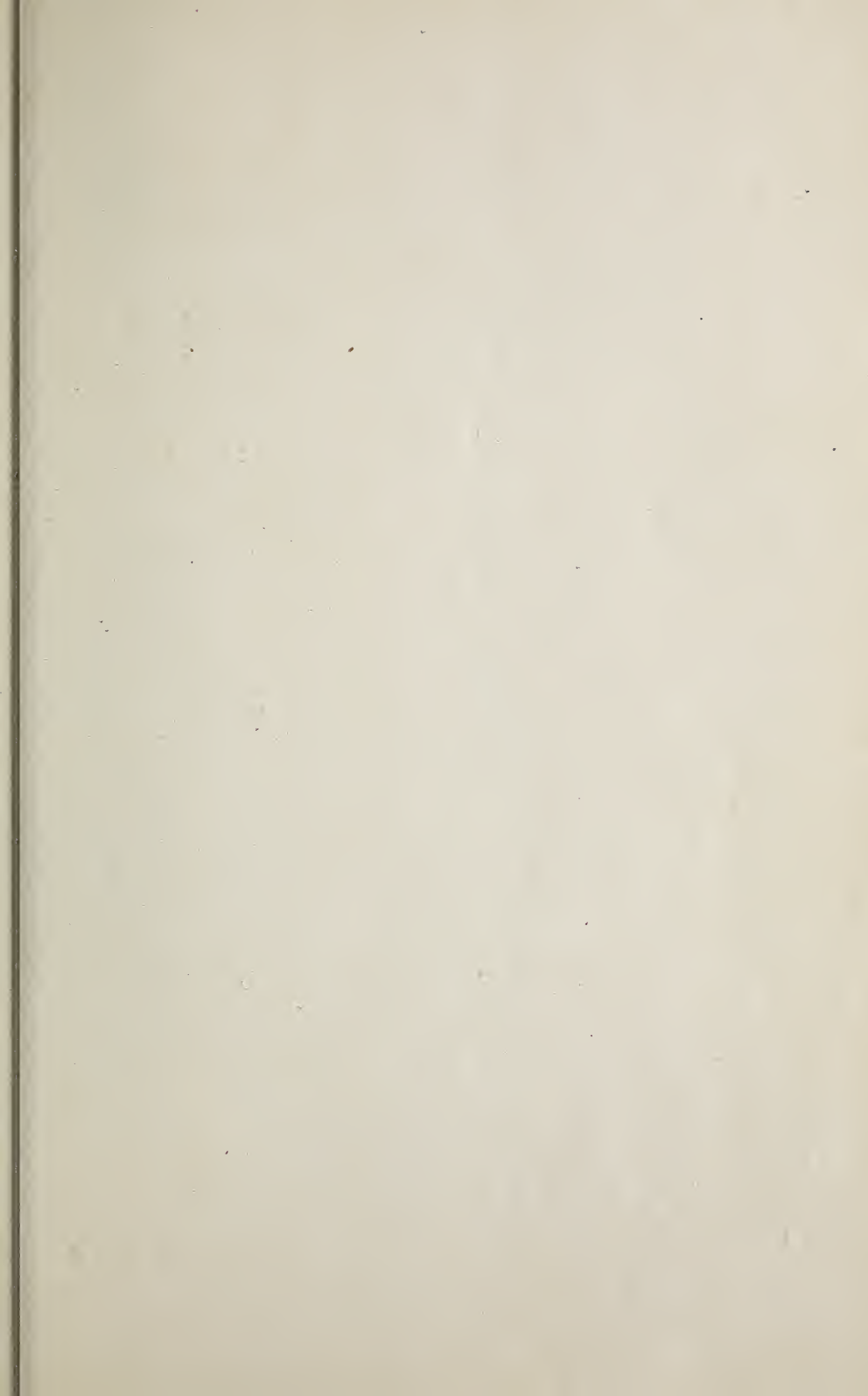
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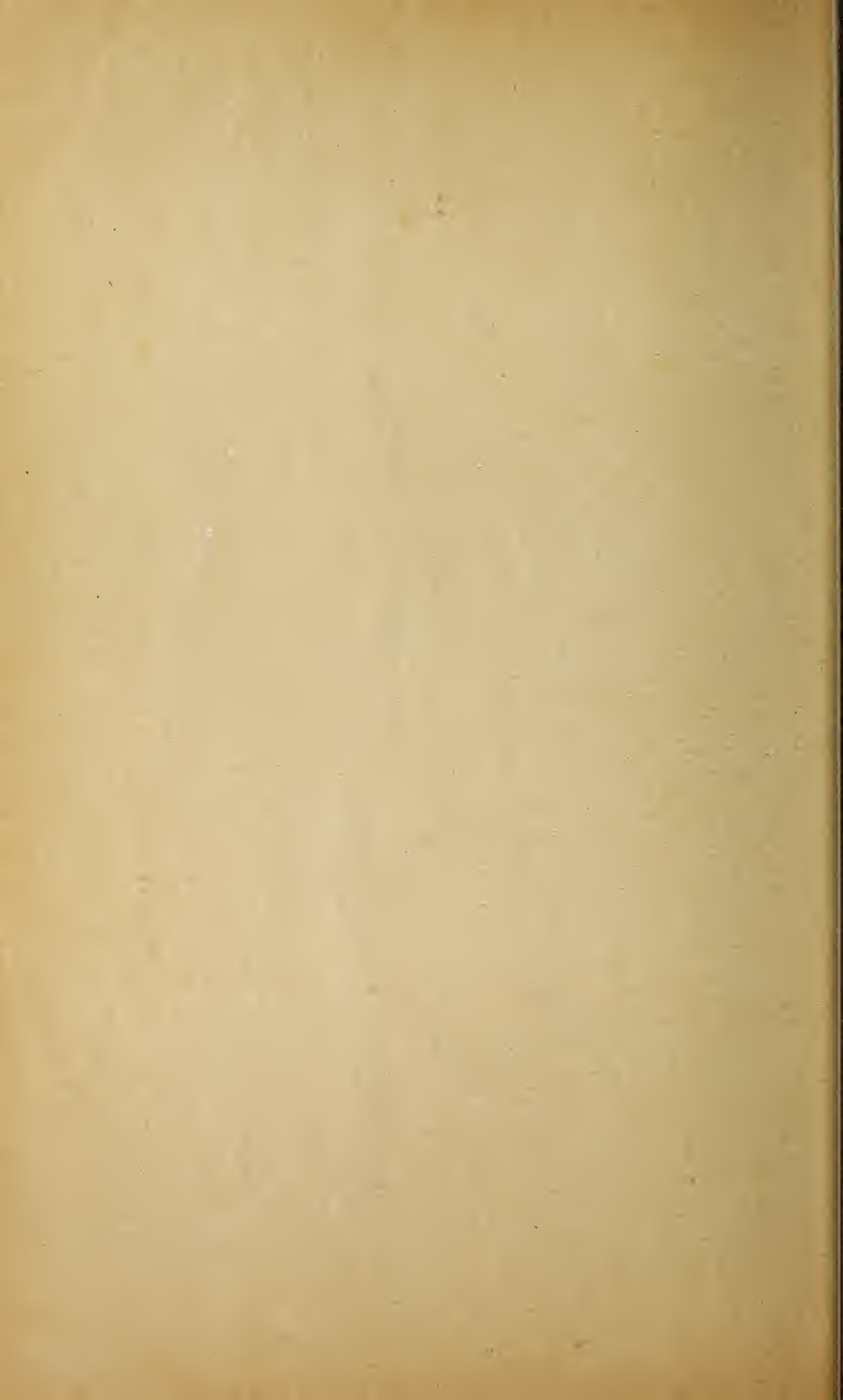
Repairs	\$ 174 77	
Supplies	92 85	
Fuel	77 43	
Transportation	305 75	
Janitors and labor	56 10	
Instruction	1,382 00	
Tuitions	207 06	
Miscellaneous	12 34	
Salaries	60 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,368 30

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1913.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
May 1	Mont Vernon	Ralph D. Morgan	Mont Vernon	27	All White.	Farmer.....	Bear River, N. S.	Jacob Morgan.....	Bear River, N. S.	Farmer....	1	H. P. Peck, clergyman.
		Abbie T. Dodge	Mont Vernon	32		Housekeeper	Mont Vernon	Nettie Graham.....	Bear River, N. S.	Farmer....	1	Mont Vernon
May 7	Milford	John Richard Horne	Mont Vernon	43		Painter	Hooksett	Henry F. Dodge.....	Peterboro	Farmer....	1	Charles A. Reese, clergyman.
		Bertha E. Taylor	Mont Vernon	44		Housekeeper	Bangor, Me.	William Horne.....	Ossipee	Stonecutter	1	Milford, N. H.
June 4	Lowell Mass	George Lewis Carpenter	Mont Vernon	36		Blacksmith....	Malone, N. Y.	Martha J. Silver.....	Bow	Painter	2	John J. Thew, priest.
		Mary Elizabeth Tracy	Lowell Mass	30		Clerk.....	Galway, Ire	Roxanna Bennett.....	British Province	Farmer....	1	343 Bridge St., Lowell, Mass.
Nov. 11	Milford	George F. Hagar	Mont Vernon	24		Farmer.....	Cambridge, Mass	Edward Carpenter.....	North Adams Mass	Farmer....	1	Charles A. Reese, clergyman.
		N. Alberta Taylor	Milford	25		Teacher.....	Greenville	Emma Lench.....	Wilton	Farmer....	1	Milford, N. H.
Dec. 23	Mont Vernon	Leonard S. Morrison	Peterboro	27		Principal of high school	Boscawin	Ellen Hanlon.....	..... Ireland	Mechanic	1	H. P. Peck, clergyman.
		Marion E. Gleason	Mont Vernon	26		Teacher.....	Mont Vernon	Ida May Farley.....	Cambridge, Mass	Farmer....	1	Mont Vernon
								John E. Taylor.....	Ashburnham, Mass	Farmer....		
								Emma R. Holt.....	Greenville	Farmer....		
								Samuel W. Morrison.....	Roscowin	Mechanic		
								Bessie M. Weeks.....	No. Danville, Vt.	Farmer....		
								Jay M. Gleason.....	Dunham, Que.	Farmer....		
								Mary C. McIntire.....	Lyndeboro	Farmer....		









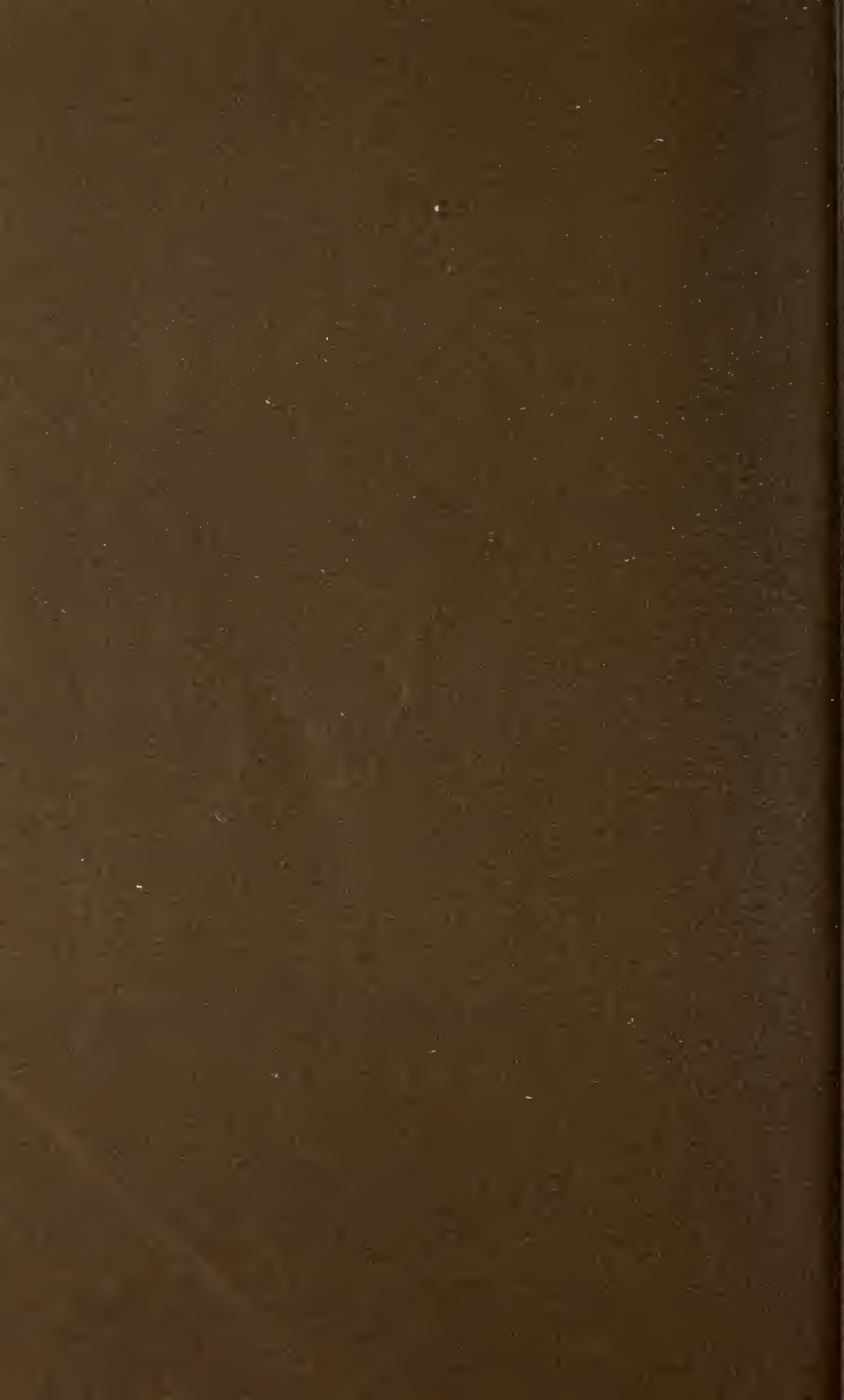




ANNUAL REPORT  
—OF THE—  
TOWN OFFICERS  
—OF—  
MONT VERNON, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15, 1915



ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
Selectmen, Treasurer, Other Town  
Officers and School Board  
OF  
MONT VERNON  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
FEBRUARY 15, 1915

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Also Vital Statistics for the Year Ending  
December 31, 1914.

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## INVENTORY OF PROPERTY

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Lands and Buildings	\$469,645
Horses, 135	16,140
Oxen, 6	650
Cows, 186	8,752
Neat, 41	1,485
Sheep, 15	60
Fowls, 1480	1,170
Vehicles, Autos 13	5,800
Portable Mills, 9	1,425
Wood Lumber	4,000
Bonds, Notes	4,500
Stock Nat. Banks	2,700
Money on hand, etc	49,778
Stock in trade	2,100
Mills, Carding Mach. etc.	1,000
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	\$569,205
112 Polls	\$224
Amount exempt	\$3560
Rate	\$1.20
Amount committed to Collector including polls	\$7,054 48
Amt. committed to Collector, picking moths	.
nests	3.00
	\$7,057.48

## Report of Selectmen.

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### Orders Drawn.

1914

Apr. 6	Dr. Hilton, board of health	\$ 15 00
	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	300 00
Apr. 20	J. M. Ritchie, damage to horse	40 00
	W. B. & A. B. Rotch printing reports	29 00
	C. A. Reese, rept. marriages	50
Apr. 27	W. B. Rotch, insurance on Town House	41 50
May 5	J. M. Gleason, support of schools	200 00
May 23	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	200 00
	Clement Stinson, picking moth nests	3 00
June 3	John Elliott, note and interest	152 13
	J. M. Gleason, spt. of schools	200 00
	Milford Lt. & Power Co.	145 08
	E. C. Eastman, tax book	1 53
June 15	Dr. Hilton, fumigating Mrs. Grovers	5 00
June 17	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	200 00
June 30	Souhegan Natl. Bank, interest on note	5 61
July 3	Geo. Coggin, W. Nichols tax sale	20 92
July 24	J. M. Gleason, spt. of schools	200 00
Aug. 3	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	200 00
Aug. 22	J. M. Gleason, for Library	75 00
Sept. 22	J. M. Gleason, spt. of schools	300 00
Sept. 29	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	200 00
Oct. 3	A. P. Temple, county tax	411 70
	B. F. Foster, burial of Mrs. Fields	23 00
Oct. 17	W. H. Kendall, for Park	50 00
Oct. 19	Milford Lt. & Power Co.	158 71



	A. P. Temple, balance for		
	county tax	189	28
	Geo. Moore, pump & supplies	12	68
	Kendall & Wilkins	10	10
Oct. 23	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	200	00
Nov. 16	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	200	00
	J. M. Gleason, spt. of school	300	00
	W. S. Stimson, supervisor	14	00
	C. O. Ingalls, supervisor	16	00
Nov. 30	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	200	00
	H. G. Blood, for cemetery &		
	Decoration Day	89	05
	A. P. Temple, bal. state tax	624	73
Dec. 7	Souhegan Natl. Bank, notes		
	and interest	1,024	44
	Fred Bergami, labor, supplies	3	75
Dec. 8	C. F. Tarbell, on Mrs. J. H.		
	Tarbell's note and interest	82	00
Dec. 23	F. O. Lamson, spt. highway	200	00
1915			
Jan. 1	J. M. Gleason, spt. of schools	300	00
	J. M. Gleason, library	75	00
Jan. 2	F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	56	25
Jan. 16	Milford Lt. & Power Co.	95	31
Jan. 26	B. F. Prescott, legal services	5	00
Feb. 15	Geo. C. Hadley, auditor, bal-		
	lot clerk & revising town		
	report	16	00
	N. F. Hooper, auditor, ballot		
	clerk & revising town rpt.	13	00
Feb. 15	J. M. Gleason, tuitions of Mil-		
	ford	264	04
	H. G. Blood, services as clerk		
	reporting births, deaths &		
	picking moths in cemetery	27	15
	A. P. Temple, services as		
	treasurer and postage	30	62
	Temple & Blood, supplies for		
	Town House & Bert Proc-		
	tor, also rept. death by Dr.		
	Stevens	21	69
	J. M. Gleason, supervisor &		
	writing checklists	21	40

W. S. Stimson, supervisor	16	00
C. H. Raymond, int. on note		
M. B. Raymond, note and int.		
M. H. Raymond, ballot clerk		
C. H. Raymond		
town rpt. & br'king roads	174	00
J. M. Kittredge, int on note	14	00
J. M. Gleason, bal. on school		
appropriation	1,035	72
G. F. Holt, services as janitor,		
setting glass and filling ex-		
tinguishers	80	50
F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	248	00
F. O. Lamson, highway acct,		
3 cords wood & moderator	143	06
W. W. Sloan assist. at fire	2	25
W. F. French	4	10
E. C. Eastman, order book &		
warrants		95
G. D. Kittredge, selectman,		
bounty on hedgehogs, exp.		
to commissioners meeting,		
stationery and postage	53	39
Frank J. Conner, selectman,		
and bounty on hedgehogs	47	90
E. W. Trow, selectman, b'nty.		
on hedgehogs, expense to		
commissioners meeting, sta-		
tionery, telephone, postage,		
cap. for Bert. Proctor	85	94
J. M. Gleason, salary for the		
school board and Treas.	60	00
J. F. Blood, int. on library		
note	8	00
J. H. Perham, int. on note	4	00
Milford Lt. & Power Co.	28	60
F. O. Lamson, highway acct.	14	40
George Coggin, abatements		
1913-1914	40	28
George Coggin, collector &		
advertising	78	25
		<hr/>
		\$9,408 51

## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF EXPENSES.

Support of Schools	\$2,799 76	
Highways	2,331 71	
State Tax	1,024 00	
County Tax	600 98	
Town Officers	509 83	
Lighting streets and Town Hall	427 70	
Library	150 00	
Park	50 00	
Overseer of Poor	32 90	
Abatements, 1913-1914	40 28	
Cemetery	76 10	
Miscellaneous	1,365 25	
	<hr/>	\$9,408 51

## Town Officers.

Edward W. Trow, selectman	\$75 00	
Frank J. Conner, selectman	47 50	
George D. Kittredge, selectman	50 00	
Harry G. Blood, town clerk	20 00	
Arthur P. Temple, treasurer	30 00	
George W. Coggin, collector	73 33	
J. M. Gleason, supervisor	16 00	
W. S. Stimson, supervisor	16 00	
C. O. Ingalls, supervisor	16 00	
Geo. F. Holt, janitor	77 00	
Geo. C. Hadley, auditor	2 00	
Geo. C. Hadley, ballot clerk	5 00	
N. F. Hooper, auditor	2 00	
N. F. Hooper, ballot clerk	5 00	
M. H. Raymond, ballot clerk	5 00	
F. O. Lamson, moderator	10 00	
Salary School Board	50 00	
Salary School Treasurer	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$509 83

## Overseer of Poor.

Paid B. F. Foster, funeral expenses:		
Mrs. H. Fields	\$23 00	
Supplies for Bert Proctor	9 90	
	<hr/>	\$32 90

Appropriation for Park	\$50 00	
Appropriations for Library	150 00	
	<hr/>	\$200 00

### Support of Schools

Appropriation for school	\$2,000 00	
Appropriation for repairs	200 00	
Appropriation for supplies	100 00	
Dog Tax	83 50	
Literary Fund	44 22	
Tuition, etc.	372 04	
	<hr/>	\$2,799 76

### Abatements.

C. S. Labree, 1913	\$ 4 32	
H. Fields, 1913	1 20	
C. Hagar, 1913	1 20	
D. McCollom heirs	4 80	
Geo. E. Bates, 1914	2 00	
Everett Bates, 1914	2 00	
Elmer Guttererson, 1914	3 16	
W. H. Bowen, 1914	2 40	
Blood & Kendall, 1914	1 20	
John Horne, 1914	7 20	
Kendall, F. E. & C. E., 1914	10 80	
	<hr/>	\$40 28

### TOWN LIABILITIES.

C. H. Raymond	\$1,200 00	
J. M. Kittredge	350 00	
J. F. Perham	100 00	
J. H. Blood, library note	200 00	
M. B. Raymond, library note	200 00	
Mrs. J. H. Tarbell	230 00	
Souhegan National Bank	500 00	
Cemetery Trust Fund	900 00	
Due State Highway Joint Fund	415 77	
Due State Highway maintenance	91 95	
Dog licenses, 1914	96 25	
	<hr/>	\$4,283 97

**Assets.**

Uncollected taxes	\$881 10	
Cash on hand	155 16	
Due from State Highway Joint Fund	340 80	
Due from State Highway Maint'nce	93 95	
Due from County	23 00	
Due from State hedgehog bouuntty	4 80	
	<hr/>	\$1,498 81
Balance against the town		<hr/> \$2,785 16

**CEMETERY TRUST FUND.**

S. C. Coburn	\$ 50 00	
Miss Kendall	100 00	
Reuben Batchelder	100 00	
Luther Odell	200 00	
Sarah Halcomb	100 00	
John T. Perkins	50 00	
Harriet A. Dean	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$900 00

All of which is respectfully submitted,  
 EDWARD W. TROW,  
 FRANK J. CONNER,  
 GEORGE D. KITTREDGE,  
 Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

## Report of Town Treasurer.

Dr.

Cash on hand Feb. 13, 1914	\$ 86 01	
G. W. Coggin, taxes 1913	560 65	
G. W. Coggin, interest on taxes 1913	15 90	
F. J. Conner, interest on taxes 1912	41 55	
G. W. Coggin, taxes 1914	6,773 08	
G. W. Coggin, interest on taxes 1914	12 71	
G. W. Coggin, abatements	40 28	
Notes at bank	1,500 00	
Railroad tax	82 64	
Savings Bank tax	272 41	
Literary fund	44 22	
W. S. Stimson, overpaid	14 00	
Pedlers' licenses	4 00	
Wesley Nichols	20 92	
License on dogs	96 25	
Rent of Town Hall	116 90	
State Highway account	281 42	
		<hr/> \$9,962 94

Cr.

Selectmen's orders	\$9,408 51	
Railroad tax	82 64	
Savings Bank tax	272 41	
Literary fund	44 22	
Cash on hand	155 16	
		<hr/> \$9,962 94
Cash on hand	\$155 16	
Uncollected taxes, 1912	625 46	
Uncollected taxes, 1914	255 64	
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Total assets Feb. 15, 1915		\$1,036 26

ARTHUR P. TEMPLE,  
Town Treasurer.



## Report of Tax Collector.

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Taxes assessed	\$7,057 48	
Interest	12 71	
	<hr/>	\$7,070 19
Taxes collected	\$6,773 08	
Interest collected	12 71	
Abatements, 1914	28 76	
Due from taxes	255 64	
	<hr/>	\$7,070 19

GEORGE W. COGGIN,  
Tax Collector.

## Report of Road Agent.

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Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., Dr., to Frank O. Lamson,  
Road Agent, as follows:

Clement Stinson	\$ 59 00
James Lawrence	220 50
Norman W. Horton	65 00
John W. Nichols	47 00
Joe Demars	26 00
William Richardson	14 00
Clarence Hagar	78 87
George Hagar	90 77
Frank Horton	61 00
W. B. Hopkins	49 00
Alonzo Winn	64 00
Guy Coggin	18 00
Frank P. Carson	31 00
A. W. Starrett	16 00
Howard Russell	11 00
Joseph Lacasse	56 25
E. Trow	51 75
J. Brown	15 75
John Hopkins	56 25
L. A. Trow	56 25
J. Manford Ritchie	56 25
Walter Blanchard	25 00
W. E. Nichols	5 00
Harry Reed	25 00
Homer Curtis	139 00
C. D. Brown, gravel	10 50
Concord Foundry Co.	18 00
A. W. Howison, drain piping	41 10
C. E. Kendall, dynamite and fuse	23 23
Repairs on road machine	5 94
Frank Hartshorn, plank	18 00
G. F. Averill, railing	12 00
Clarence Roberts	20 00
Telephone	1 10

Spikes	1 20	
George E. Bates, gravel	90 00	
Alwin Carlton	3 68	
Miles Wallace	2 25	
F. O. Lamson	375 00	
C. O. Ingalls, gravel	4 00	
Wesley Nichols	1 00	
J. G. Carlton, plank and bridge rail- ing	9 00	
Bill for sharpening bar, picks and re- pairing plow, use of drag, etc.	12 63	
		\$1,981 27

### Snow Bill.

1914	
Ernest Russell	\$ 4 10
Howard Russell	4 55
George C. Hadley	13 06
Rufus G. Averill	80
Hiram Brown	1 80
John Hazen	16 35
W. L. Robinson	23 17
H. B. Leighton	11 47
S. T. Worthen	14 85
John Nichols	7 00
Frank J. Connor	13 80
John Follonsbee	3 40
Charles F. Isola	2 60
William Weston	1 40
Homer Curtis	2 00
Temple & Blood	2 00
George D. Kittredge	2 00
Nelson Marchant	10 00
Miles Wallace	9 26
William E. Richardson	2 00
Alec Milne	4 55
Alonzo Winn	7 00
Elmer Gutterson	6 00
J. Manford Ritchie	16 80
Charles Ritchie	2 00
Joseph Brawn	26 90
Wesley Nichols	11 55
James G. Lawrence	11 00

Nelson B. Carron	75	
Clayton Burnham	1 80	
D. C. Alexander	16 00	
Tom Gordon	30	
Walter Blanchard	1 50	
Norman W. Horton	6 75	
George Carlton	9 95	
Oliver Carlton	2 50	
Alwin Carlton	7 10	
L. A. Trow	6 00	
Stuart Trow	2 50	
Jesse Trow	2 50	
W. E. Nichols	2 45	
John Corliss	80	
William O. Lamson	1 05	
George L. Tabbut	5 11	
E. W. Trow	20 45	
Holden Crosby	3 00	
A. J. Stearns	3 30	
N. F. Hooper	7 20	
George D. Secombe	1 00	
H. E. Edson	3 19	
Frank O. Lamson	21 50	
B. F. Roberts	3 00	
W. P. Jenkins	3 00	
D. C. Alexander	5 75	
G. F. Tarbell	6 00	
C. H. Raymond	3 00	
W. S. Stimson	7 18	
James Herlihy	9 70	
Laura R. Dodge, executrix	4 70	
	<hr/>	\$400 44
Received Town Appropriation	\$1,041 80	
For repairs on State Highway	190 35	
For State Highway	699 12	
Received from Mrs. A. W. Bragg	50 00	
For breaking roads	400 44	
	<hr/>	\$2,381 71

## Report of Cemetery Trustees.

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### Receipts.

From town	\$58 10	
Interest on Coburun fund	2 00	
Interest on Odell fund	8 00	
Interest on Kendall fund	4 00	
Interest on Batchelder fund	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$76 10

### Expenditures.

A. W. Winn, labor & digging graves	\$72 10	
Guy Coggin, picking browntails	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$76 10

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
Treasurer.

# Report of Town Library.

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## REPORT OF TREASURER OF TOWN LIBRARY.

For Year Ending Feb. 15, 1915.

Dr.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1914	\$ 12 97	
Town appropriation	150 00	
Cash from dues	14 89	
	<hr/>	\$177 86

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Cash for periodicals	\$14 65	
Cash for books	52 37	
Librarians services	77 50	
Insurance on books	8 25	
Librarian's supplies	5 04	
Wood	20 00	
Balance on hand	05	
	<hr/>	\$177 86
There is due for kindling	\$1.50	

J. M. GLEASON,  
Treasurer.



## Report of School Board.

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The Board of Education presents to the School District of Mont Vernon the following report for the past year:

F. O. Lamson, the senior member, has served as chairman and A. W. Remington as clerk.

The following Committees were elected for the year: School Supplies, F. O. Lamson; Repairs and Care of Buildings, W. H. Kendall.

At the opening of the school year in September the Board closed the East school and provided transportation for the three pupils of that district to the Center schools.

The West building has been enlarged by extension of building. The increased space has been nearly all occupied by the large and prosperous school of the Fall and Winter terms.

The West and East buildings have been given a coat of paint.

Financial Statement of the Board of Education as shown by orders drawn upon the Treasurer of the School District:

### Instruction.

Mary Goldrick	\$120 00	
Alice G. Smith	108 00	
Mrs. George Hagar	432 00	
Alice G. Starrett	396 00	
Viola Jenkins	240 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,296 00

### Transportation.

L. A. Trow	\$235 00
George S. Tabbut	107 00
R. G. Averill	29 00
Edward Trow	6 25
F. O. Lamson	32 00
Eva M. Hill	32 00

Walter Reed	32 00	
1913-1914		
F. A. Lamson	34 00	
Eva M. Hill	34 00	
Walter Reed	25 00	
N. F. Hooper	25 00	
	<hr/>	\$591 25

**Janitor.**

Anna LaCasse	\$ 6 00	
Bruce Russell	12 00	
Dorothy Hazen	3 00	
Alice G. Smith	3 00	
Abbie Carlton	12 00	
Lura Pike	24 00	
Vacation cleaning, Lura Pike	3 50	
	<hr/>	\$63 50

**Supplies**

E. E. Babb & Co.	\$41 50	
Temple & Blood	1 70	
Express	1 90	
	<hr/>	\$45 10

**Fuel.**

F. O. Lamson	\$69 60	
F. O. Lamson, 1914	15 50	
	<hr/>	\$85 10

**Repairs.**

West School, Frank Smith	\$117 56	
Painting West and East buildings,		
George Pike	30 16	
W. H. Kendall	2 75	
	<hr/>	\$150 47

**Gift Books.**

Boxing, etc.	\$4 50	
Express	3 18	
	<hr/>	\$7 68

## Summary.

Instruction	\$1296 00	
Transportation	591 25	
Janitor	63 50	
Supplies	45 10	
Fuel	85 10	
Repairs	150 47	
Gift Books	7 68	
Amherst School Tax	47 48	
W. H. Kendall	5 25	
	<hr/>	\$2,291 83

F. O. LAMSON,  
W. H. KENDALL,  
A. W. REMINGTON,  
Board of Education.

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD.

For Year Ending Feb. 15, 1915.

Dr.

Bal. in treasury Feb. 15, 1914	\$197 53	
School appropriation	2,000 00	
Supplies	100 00	
Tuition	372 04	
Repairs	200 00	
Dog tax	83 50	
Literary fund	44 22	
Salaries of School Board and Treas.	60 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,057 29

Cr.

Paying orders of School Board	\$2,244 35	
Tuition	372 04	
Amherst school tax	47 48	
Salaries of School Board and Treas.	60 00	
Balance in treasury	333 42	
	<hr/>	\$3,057 29

J. M. GLEASON,  
District Treasurer.

# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MONT VERNON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

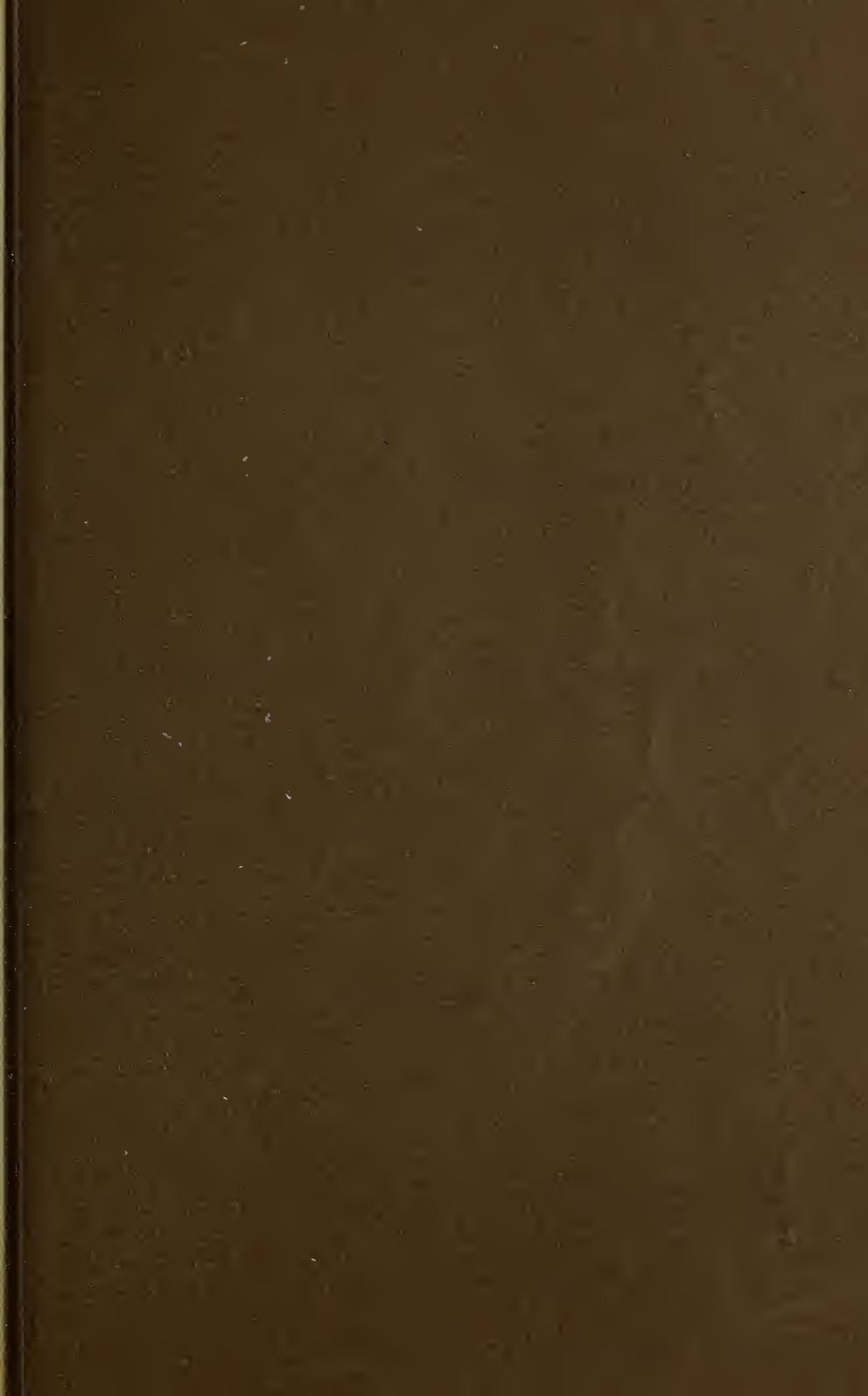
Date of Birth	Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male.	Female.	No. of child, still-born, etc.							
May 5	Mont Vernon	M		5	William H. Fox	Jesse A. Trow	All White	Mont Vernon	Carpenter	Mont Vernon	Mont Vernon
May 10	"	F		4	Harvey Edson	Eliza M. Rector	"	"	Carpenter	W. Windsor, Vt.	Spenceland NS
July 10	"	M		2	Fred C. Towne	Lizzie Bell	"	"	Laborer	Mont Vernon	Lyndeboro, N. H.
Aug. 13	"	F		2	Ralph D. Morgan	Abbie S. Dodge	"	"	Farmer	Bear River, N. S.	Mont Vernon
Oct. 21	"	M		2	Miles E. Wallace	Alice R. Blood	"	"	Farmer	Manchester	Amherst, N. H.
Oct. 22	"	F		3	George L. Tabbutt	M. Edith Look	"	"	Farmer	Columbia Falls, Me.	Columbia Falls, Me.
Oct. 28	"	F		4	James M. Gifford	Iva N. Bickford	"	"	Farmer	No. Fairfield, Me.	No. Fairfield, Me.
Dec. 12	"										

# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MONT VERNON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Date of death.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	
		Years.	Months.		Single, married, or widowed.	Color.		Sex.	Father.			Mother.
Jan. 22	Edwin M. Shattuck.	72		Mont Vernon	M	All White	Laborer	Brookline, N. H.	Brookline, N. H.	Noah Shattuck	Clarissa Saunders	
Feb. 28	Henry F. Dodge	75	9 11	Mont Vernon	M	"	Farmer	Mont Vernon	Marborough	Henry C. Dodge	Sophia E. Emerson	
May 20	Mary A. Fields	73	7 8	Brattleboro, Vt	F	"	Housekeeper	Mont Vernon	Vermont	Francis McClure	Sarah Whittemore	
June 21	Sarah L. Averill	79	1	Nashua, N. H.	F	"	Housekeeper	Wilton, N. H.	Wilton, N. H.	Benj. F. Marden	Betsy Buss	
July 12	Rosella Faulkner	87	11	St. Stevens, Me	F	"	At Home	Scotland	Scotland	Peter McCoy	Rachael MacCullay	
Oct. 5	William Henry Long	16	10 25	Lyndeboro, N. H.	M	"	None	Lyndeboro	Lyndeboro	N. H. George Long	Elizabeth Bell	
Dec. 4	Jeunie Dodge White	74	1 28	Milford, N. H.	F	"	Housekeeper	Unknown	Mont Vernon	Jerry Ober	Salome Mills	
Dec. 25	Theresa McCollom	79	2 1	Deering, N. H.	F	"	At home	Deering	Deering	Isaac Smith	Pamela Stevens	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HARRY G. BLOOD, Town Clerk.







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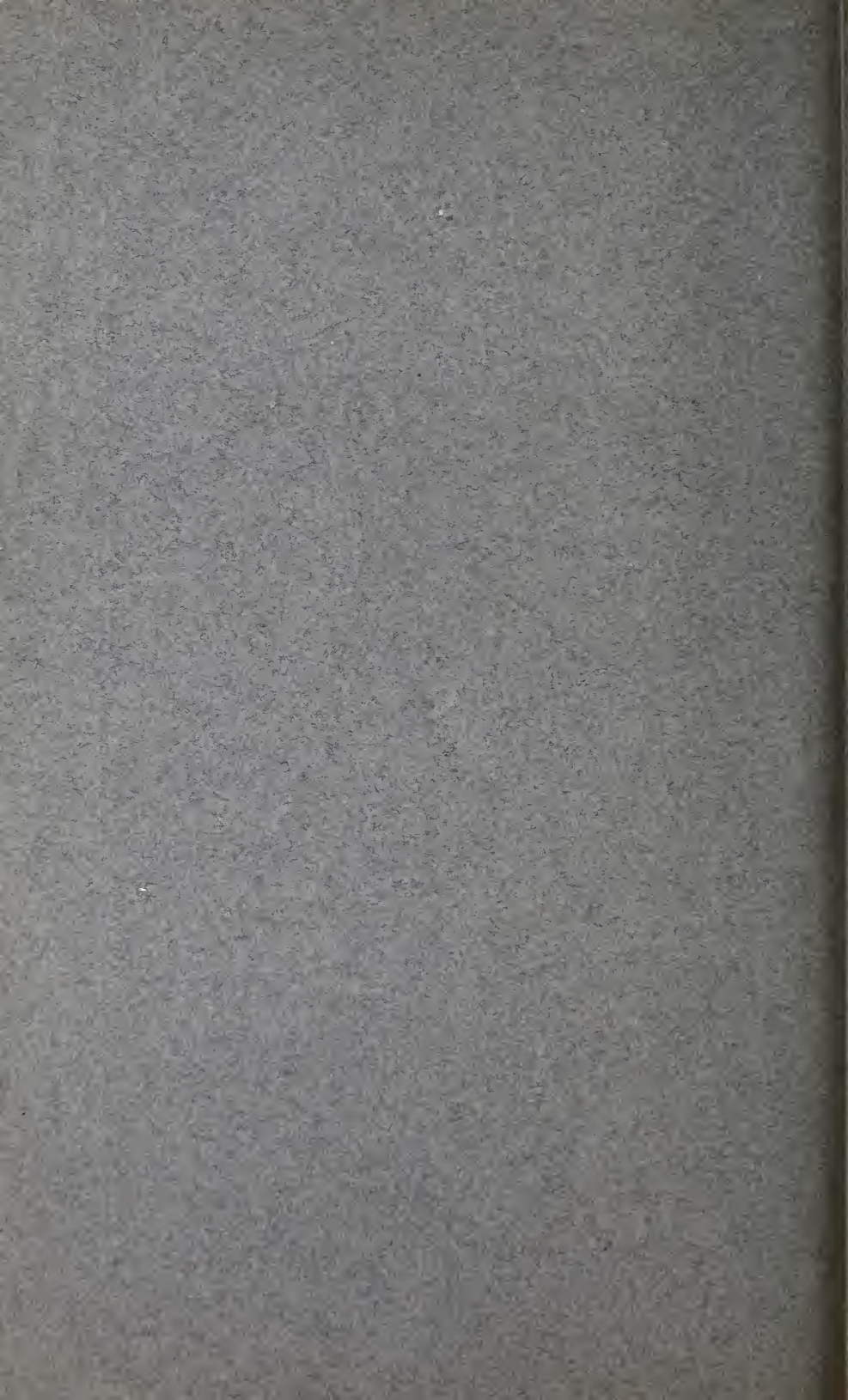
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FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15, 1916





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MILFORD, N. H.,  
CABINET PRINT,  
1916

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets

Cash in hands of town treasurer	24 53	
Accounts due town:		
Taxes not collected, levy of 1915	272 17	
Due from the State:		
(a) State Highway joint fund acct.	340 17	
(b) State Highway mainte'ce acct.	112 20	
(c) Bounties	7 60	
Due from the County:		
(a) On account of poor	9 90	
Total assets		\$766 57
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)		\$2,948 77
Grand total		\$3,715 34

### Liabilities

Unpaid balances set aside for special purposes:—

Due to schools:

(a) Dog licenses	\$99 75	
(b) Literary fund	39 65	
		\$139 40

State and town joint highway accounts:

(a) Maintenance account	\$111 20	
(b) Joint fund account	414 74	
		\$525 94

Notes outstanding:

C. H. Raymond	\$1,200 00	
J. M. Kittredge	350 00	
J. F. Perham	100 00	
J. H. Blood	100 00	
M. B. Raymond	200 00	
Frances A. Holt	200 00	
		\$2,150 00

Trust funds, amount of principal  
    used by town:

Cemetery trust funds:

S. C. Coburn	\$.50 00
Miss Kendall	100 00

Reuben Batchelder	100 00	
Luther Odell	200 00	
Sarah Holcomb	100 00	
John T. Perkins	50 00	
Harriet A. Dean	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$900 00
Total liabilities		<hr/> \$3,715 34



## Town of Mont Vernon, N. H.

## RECEIPTS

## RECEIPTS

Current Revenue from Local Taxes:	
1. Property and poll taxes, 1915 .....	\$8,035 72
2. Property and poll taxes, 1914 .....	255 64
Property and poll taxes, 1912 .....	625 46
From State:	
Railroad tax .....	38 60
4. Savings bank tax .....	317 03
5. Literary fund .....	39 65
6. For highways:	
(a) For State aid maintenance .....	106 75
(b) For State aid construction .....	280 54
7. For fighting forest fires .....	4 57
From County:	
8. Funeral expenses Mrs. H. Fields .....	23 00
From local sources except taxes:	
9. Dog licenses .....	99 75
10. Pedlers' licenses .....	4 00
11. Rent of town hall, W. P. Jenkins .....	111 75
Rent of town hall, Geo. Holt .....	9 25
12. Lot sold in cemetery .....	10 00
13. Interest on taxes 1915 .....	19 37
Interest on taxes 1914 .....	8 32
Receipts other than current revenue:	
14. Frances Holt, note .....	200 00
15. Town histories .....	7 00
16. F. O. Lamson overpaid .....	8 00
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Total receipts from all sources .....	\$10,204 40
Cash on hand at beginning of year .....	\$155 16
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Grand total .....	\$10,359 56

## AND PAYMENTS

For year ending Feb. 15, 1916.

## PAYMENTS

## I. Current Maintenance Expenses:

## General Government:

1. Salaries and expenses of town officers	\$363 30
2. Election and registration expenses ....	17 04
3. Care and supplies for town hall .....	223 81

## Protection of persons and property:

4. Police department .....	2 00
5. Fire department .....	78 75
6. Moth extermination .....	2 50
7. Bounties .....	7 60
8. Damage by dogs .....	10 00

## Health and sanitation:

9. Vital statistics .....	2 00
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## Highways and bridges:

10. Highways maintenance, town acct. ....	1,246 78
11. "State Aid maintenance," state and town joint account .....	212 50
12. Street lighting .....	390 50
13. General expenses, oiling, etc .....	202 30

## Education:

14. Libraries .....	150 00
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## Patriotic purposes:

15. Memorial day .....	16 45
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## Recreation:

16. Parks and playgrounds .....	50 00
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## Public service enterprises

17. Cemeteries .....	35 75
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## II. Interest:

18. Paid on temporary loans .....	106 62
19. Paid on principal of trust funds used by town .....	36 00

## III. Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:

20. Highway Construction, Town acct. ....	854 53
21. Highway Const., State Aid acct. ....	341 83
22. Sidewalk construction .....	342 54
23. Iron railing on Milford road .....	364 32

## IV. Indebtedness:

**PAYMENTS**

For year ending Feb. 15, 1916.

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24. Payments on principal of debt .....	830 00
V. Payments to other Governmental Divisions:	
25. Taxes paid to State .....	1,008 00
26. Taxes paid to County .....	756 63
27. Payments to School Districts .....	2,553 37
All other payments:	
28. Abatements .....	37 16
29. Weights and measures .....	89 15
30. Public watering trough .....	3 00
Total Payments for all Purposes .....	\$10,335 03
Cash on hand at end of year .....	24 53
Grand Total .....	\$10,359 56

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## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS.

### I. GENERAL GOVERNMENT

#### 1. Salaries Town Officers

Selectman L. A. Trow	\$ 65 00	
Selectman George D. Kittredge	65 00	
Selectman Norman W. Horton	35 00	
Clerk Harry G. Blood	20 00	
Treasurer Arthur P. Temple	30 00	
Tax Collector Geo. W. Coggin	82 56	
		\$297 56

#### Expenses :

E. C. Eastman, tax book, invoices, etc	\$29 62	
H. G. Blood, postage	50	
A. P. Temple, postage	62	
G. D. Kittredge, 2 trips Manchester	3 75	
G. D. Kittredge, assessors Assoc. dues	1 00	
G. D. Kittredge, stamps, stat'ry, etc	1 79	
Express on moth notices	20	
Milford Cabinet, print. town reports	25 00	
Norman Horton, Tax. Com. meeting	2 50	
Norman Horton, postage	76	
		\$65 74

#### 2. Election and Registration Expenses

N. F. Hooper, supervisor	\$4 00	
C. O. Ingalls, supervisor	4 00	
F. O. Lamson, moderator	2 50	
J. M. Gleason, supervisor	5 00	
J. M. Gleason, check lists	1 54	
		\$17 04

#### 3. Care and Supplies for Town Hall

George F. Holt, janitor	\$ 8 25
W. B. Rotch, insurance town hall	33 50
George W. Moore, repairs	2 50
Fred Bergami, lamps and labor	2 05
Tuning piano	3 00
H. H. Barber, repairs	2 15

A. W. Howison, sheathing	8 75	
W. B. Rotch, insurance on clock	12 00	
W. P. Jenkins, janitor	68 62	
Clement Stinson, lamp and labor	85	
G. F. Holt, care of town clock	15 50	
G. F. Holt, setting glass	85	
Frank Smith, labor hallway ceiling	9 65	
A. P. Temple, supplies	2 52	
F. O. Lamson, wood	21 00	
Milford Light & Power Co., lighting	32 62	
	<hr/>	\$223 81

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

### 4. Police Department

D. Alexander, services as constable	\$2 00
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### 5. Fire Department

Mont Vernon House fire:		
A. P. Temple	\$ 2 00	
J. H. Blood	2 00	
Milford Fire Department	38 00	
C. H. Colby	3 00	
D. Alexander	3 00	
C. H. Raymond, fire warden	4 00	
W. F. French, acid	2 13	
Copper tunnel for chemical	5 05	
Chemical engine fixtures	15 65	
Freight on fixtures	92	
D. Alexander, filling extinguishers	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$78 75

### 6. Moth Extermination

Homer Curtis, picking brown tails	\$2 50
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### 7. Bounties

Hedgehogs:	
J. Follansbee	\$ 60
Alvin Carlton	1 40
Frank Conner	1 00

Charles Raymond	20	
E. W. Trow	60	
L. A. Trow	1 00	
Arthur Hazen	1 00	
W. A. Blanchard	40	
Ernest Scott	60	
George Blood	20	
Alvin Wheeler	60	
	<hr/>	\$7 60

### 8. Damage by Dogs

A. W. Remington, damage to heifer	\$10 00
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## HEALTH AND SANITATION

### 9. Vital Statistics

H. G. Blood, reporting births, deaths and marriages	\$2 10	
Dr. Stevens, reporting death	25	
Rev. Chas. Reese, reporting marriage	25	
	<hr/>	\$2 60

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

### 10. Highway Maintenance—Town Account

F. O. Lamson, repairing town roads	\$1,153 98	
Snow bills	92 80	
	<hr/>	\$1,246 78

11. Highway Maintenance—State and Town Joint Acct.	
	\$212 50

### 12. Street Lighting

\$390 50

### 13. General Expenses, Oiling, etc.

L. A. Trow, drawing & applying oil	\$ 14 00	
G. D. Kittredge, draw. & apply. oil	35 50	
Standard Oil Co., road oil	152 80	
	<hr/>	\$202 30



## EDUCATION

## 14. Libraries

J. M. Gleason	\$150 00
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## PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

## 15. Memorial Day

H. G. Blood, decorations, transportation	\$16 45
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## RECREATION

## 16. Parks and Playgrounds

W. H. Kendall	\$50 00
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## PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

## 17. Cemeteries

H. G. Blood, cemetery trustee	\$35 75
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## II. INTEREST

## 18. Paid on Temporary Loans

Souhegan Nat'l Bank, int. on note	\$ 7 50	
Souhegan Nat'l Bank, int. on note	8 89	
Jane M. Kittredge, int. on note	14 00	
C. H. Raymond, int. on note	48 00	
M. B. Raymond, int. on note	8 00	
J. F. Perham, int. on note	4 00	
J. H. Blood, int. on notes	8 00	
J. H. Tarbell, int. on note	8 23	
		\$106 62

## 19. Paid on Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town

Cemetery trust funds	\$36 00
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III. OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND  
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS

## 20. Highway Construction—Town Account

Work on road to Amherst	\$854 53
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**21. Highway Construction—State Aid Account**

Work on road to Amherst		\$341 83
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**22. Sidewalk Construction**

F. X. Tardiff, cross walks	\$192 40	
F. X. Tardiff, repairing sidewalks	150 14	
	<hr/>	\$342 54

**23. Road Fence Construction**

Steel railing used on road to Milford	\$253 32	
Express on same	4 00	
Cost of construction	107 00	
	<hr/>	\$364 32

**IV. INDEBTEDNESS****24. Payments on Principal of Debt**

Souhegan National Bank note	\$500 00	
J. H. Blood, library note	100 00	
J. H. Tarbell note	2 30	
	<hr/>	\$830 00

**V. PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS****25. State Tax**

	\$1,008 00
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**26. County Tax**

	\$756 63
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**27. Payments to School Districts**

J. M. Gleason, High schools	\$ 499 70	
Supplies	107 42	
Salaries	60 00	
Dog tax	86 25	
Appropriation	1,800 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,553 37

## VI. ALL OTHER PAYMENTS

## 28. Abatements

Wm. W. Warner, 1914 poll tax	\$ 2 00	
1914 abatements: F. Averill	2 00	
F. Lothar	6 80	
F. H. Vandal	12 96	
David McCollom heirs	6 00	
1915 abatements: F. Averill	2 00	
Blood & Kendall	1 40	
W. B. Smith	2 00	
Harry Whiting	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$37 16

## 29. Weights and Measures

Geo. V. Hamlin, testing weights and measures	\$ 4 00	
J. B. Varick Co., set. weights & meas.	85 15	
	<hr/>	\$89 15

## 30. Public Watering Trough

R. G. Averill	\$3 00	
	<hr/>	\$10.335-03

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS A. TROW,  
 GEORGE D. KITTREDGE,  
 NORMAN W. HORTON,  
 Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

We certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
 NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
 Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15th, 1916. Auditors.

## Report of Town Treasurer

Dr.

To cash on hand Feb. 15, 1915	\$ 155 16
F. J. Conner, uncollected taxes 1912	625 46
G. W. Coggin, uncollected taxes 1914	227 88
G. W. Coggin, abatements 1914	27 76
G. W. Coggin, interest 1914	8 32
G. W. Coggin, taxes 1915	8,035 72
G. W. Coggin, interest 1915	19 37
F. O. Lamson, overpaid	8 00
George Holt, rent of hall	9 25
Forest fire account	4 57
County	23 00
Licenses on dogs	99 75
State Highway account	387 29
Rent of town hall	111 75
Sale of histories	7 00
Pedlers' licenses	4 00
Lot sold in cemetery	10 00
Frances Holt note	200 00
Railroad tax	38 60
Savings Bank tax	317 03
Literary fund	39 65
	<hr/> \$10,359 56

Cr.

Selectmen's orders	\$9,939 75
Railroad tax	38 60
Savings Bank tax	317 03
Literary fund	39 65
Cash on hand	24 53
	<hr/> \$10,359 56

ARTHUR P. TEMPLE,  
Town Treasurer.

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GEORGE C. HADLEY,

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,

Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1916.

Auditors.

## Report of Road Agent

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Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., to Frank O. Lamson,  
Road Agent, as follows:—

Dr.

Rec'd from town for building State Highway:	
Joint account	\$1,196 36
Maintenance account	212 50
Steel railing account	364 32
Repairing town roads	1,153 98
Snow bills	92 80
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	3,019 96

Cr.

W. H. Kendall	\$ 3 00
J. M. Ritchie	65 50
Frank Horton	117 00
W. B. Hopkins	64 00
Albert B. Lamson	56 00
Alvin Wheeler	9 00
Joseph Brown	90 75
Harry O. Reed	21 00
Amherst, express for piping	4 00
William Richardson	9 00
John Peacock	30 00
Alec Milne	66 00
Manchester Supply Co.	253 32
Jesse Trow, gravel	42 50
Mary Richardson, land damage	15 00
George Bennett, gravel	60 00
Stuart Trow	18 00
A. W. Howison	18 68
W. O. Lamson	10 00
George O. Carlton	9 50
A. W. Moreau	10 40
James Lawrence	9 00
Joe Lafond	6 00

F. O. Lamson	520 00	
Walter Blanchard	16 00	
George M. Stearns	170 00	
Frank P. Carson	138 00	
Homer Curtis	144 00	
Clarènce H. Hagar	107 00	
Clarence Roberts	33 00	
Norman H. Horton	6 75	
John Hopkins	319 76	
Harold Trow	77 00	
Guy Coggin	14 00	
John Nichols	6 00	
Robert Maçon	33 00	
Miles E. Wallace	161 25	
Alonzo Winn	8 00	
William Brown	20 00	
C. H. Kendall	30 25	
C. W. Blood	50 00	
Louis A. Trow	85 50	
	<hr/>	\$2,927 16

### Snow Bill

John W. Hazen	\$ 6 00	
L. A. Dodge	4 70	
Charles W. Blood	5 20	
George C. Hadley	10 50	
W. L. Robinson	12 50	
W. S. Stinson	6 80	
Repairing snow plow	2 50	
Alec Milne	5 25	
J. M. Ritchie	11 00	
George O. Carlton	1 50	
Frank J. Conner	6 00	
H. A. Hutchinson	2 00	
H. B. Leighton	5 25	
Stuart Trow	1 60	
Cash paid out and breaking sidewalks etc.	12 00	
	<hr/>	\$92 80
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		\$3,019 96



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GEORGE C. HADLEY,

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,

Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15th, 1916.

Auditors.

## Report of Tax Collector

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Due from 1914 taxes	\$255 64	
Interest from 1914 taxes	8 32	
	<hr/>	263 96
Taxes collected for 1914	\$227 88	
Abatements, Frank Averill	2 00	
Fred Lothar	6 80	
F. H. Vandall	12 96	
David McCollom heirs	6 00	
Interest collected	8 32	
	<hr/>	\$263 96
 Taxes assessed, 1915	 \$8,307 89	
Interest	19 37	
	<hr/>	\$8,327 26
Taxes collected	\$8,028 32	
Interest	19 37	
Abatements 1915	7 40	
Due from taxes	272 17	
	<hr/>	\$8,327 26

GEORGE W. COGGIN,  
Tax collector.

We certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched,  
 GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
 NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
 Auditors.

## Report of Cemetery Trustees

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### Receipts

From town	\$35 75	
Interest on Coburn fund	2 00	
Interest on Odell fund	8 00	
Interest on Kendall fund	4 00	
Interest on Batchelder fund	4 00	
Interest on Holcomb fund	4 00	
Interest on Perkins fund	2 00	
Interest on Dean fund	12 00	
	<hr/>	\$71 75

### Expenditures

A. Winn for labor and digging graves	\$71 75
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HARRY G. BLOOD,  
Treasurer.

We certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15th, 1916. Auditors.

## Report of Treasurer of Town Library

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1916

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### Dr.

Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1915	\$	05	
Town appropriations		150	00
Cash from dues		13	59
		<hr/>	\$163 64

### Cr.

Cash for periodicals	\$16	50	
Cash for books	43	53	
Librarian's services	66	50	
Librarian's supplies	4	25	
Insurance on books	8	25	
Wood and kindling	1	11	
		<hr/>	\$163 64

J. M. GLEASON,  
Treasurer.

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GEORGE C. HADLEY,

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,

Mont-Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1916.

Auditors.

## Report of School Board

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Financial statement of the Board of Education as shown by orders drawn upon the Treasurer of the School District:

### Instruction

Mrs. George Hagar	\$144 00	
Louise Barrett	288 00	
Alice G. Starrett	396 00	
Viola Jenkins	396 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,224 00

### Transportation

Louis A. Trow	\$148 75	
George L. Tabbutt	106 00	
Rufus G. Averill	36 00	
Frank O. Lamson	48 00	
Norman W. Horton	21 00	
Walter Reed 1915	9 00	
Walter Reed	34 00	
	<hr/>	\$402 75

### Tuition

Town of Milford	\$275 70	
Town of Amherst	160 00	
Town of Lyndeboro:		
Silver children at Johnson Corner	9 00	
Arthur F. Stearns (1914-15)	40 00	
Arthur F. Stearns 1915	24 00	
	<hr/>	\$508 70

### Salaries

School Board	\$50 0	
District Treasurer	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$60 00

**Janitor**

Wm. Lamson	\$12 00	
Mary Herlihy	10 00	
Hazel Fox	3 00	
Mrs. G. Pike	22 00	
Dorothy Hazen	3 00	
Josephine La Casse	2 50	
Joseph La Casse	3 75	
Mrs. E. Averill, cleaning	2 00	
Mrs. G. Pike, cleaning	6 10	
	<hr/>	\$64 35

**Supplies**

Educational Pub. Co.	\$ 7 50	
E. E. Babb	44 12	
Ginn & Co.	15 39	
D. C. Heath	6 96	
American Book Co.	15 36	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	3 54	
Silver Burdett & Co.	1 73	
Thompson Brown & Co.	61	
McMillan Co.	1 52	
	<hr/>	\$96 73

**Miscellaneous**

F. W. French, sulphuric acid	\$1 95	
Temple & Blood, sundries	3 54	
W. H. Kendall, sundries	6 20	
F. O. Lamson, express & postage	3 44	
J. M. Gleason, express	3 06	
	<hr/>	\$17 29

**Repairs and Improvements**

Will Fox, shutters for South school	\$ 8 94	
D. H. Smith, book closet	1 65	
Frank Smith, painting East & West		
school houses & repairs on same	37 03	
Frank Smith, repairs at Center school	10 29	
	<hr/>	\$57 91



**Fuel**

John Hazen, wood and kindlings	\$13 00	
F. O. Lamson, wood and kindlings	54 50	
	<hr/>	\$67 50

**Summary**

Instruction	\$1,224 00	
Transportation	402 75	
Tuition	508 70	
Salaries	60 00	
Janitor	64 35	
Supplies	96 73	
Miscellaneous	17 29	
Fuel	67 50	
Repairs and improvements	57 91	
Amherst School tax	23 74	
	<hr/>	\$2,522 97

WM. H. KENDALL,  
 FRANK O. LAMSON,  
 EMILY C. A. STARRETT,  
 Board of Education.

## REPORT OR TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1916.

Dr.

Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1915	\$ 333 42	
School appropriation	1,800 00	
Supplies	107 42	
High School tuition	499 70	
Old books sold	2 50	
Dog tax	86 25	
Salaries of School Board & Treas.	60 00	
		<u>\$2,889 29</u>

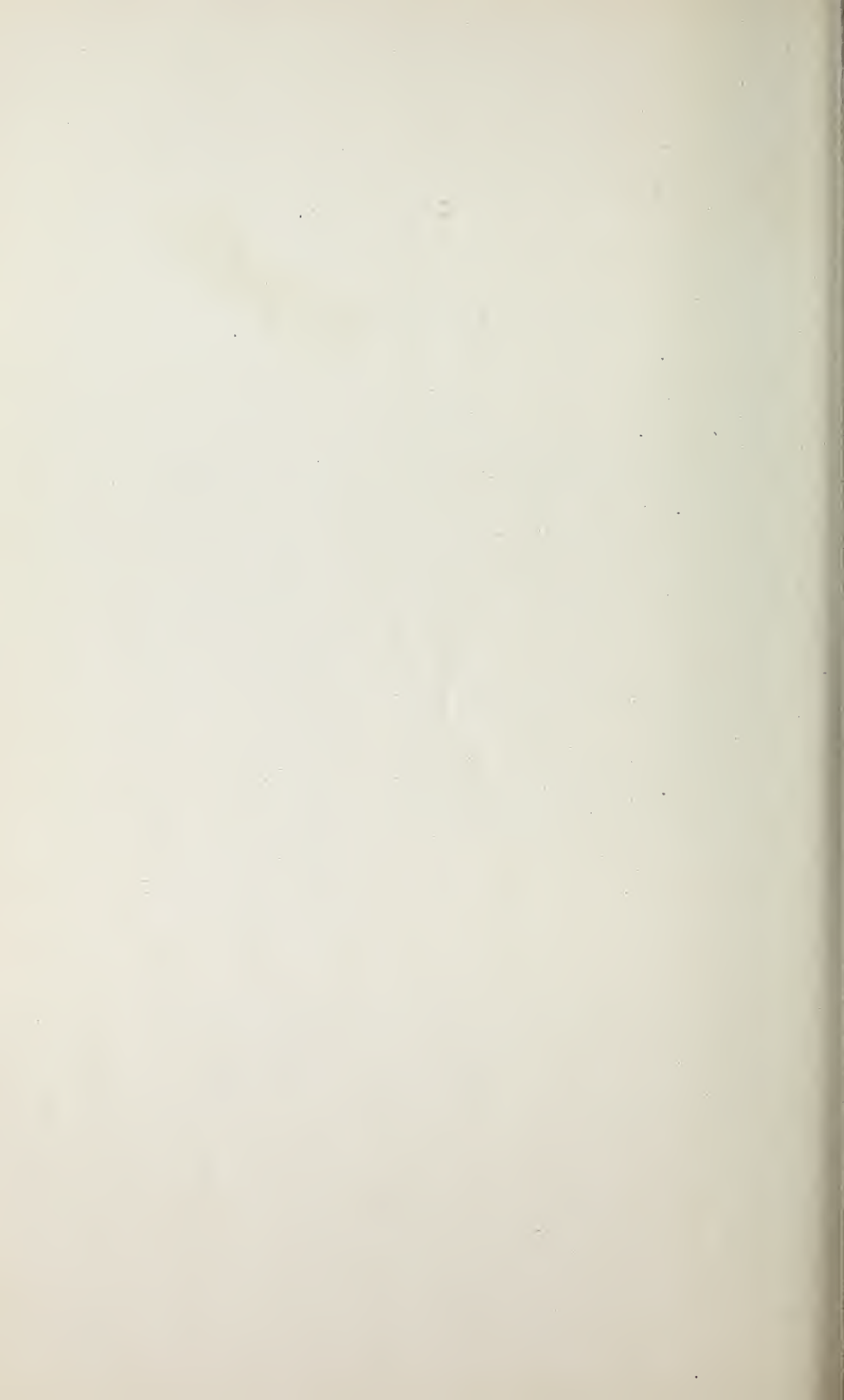
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Paying orders of School Board	\$1,842 80	
Tuition	499 70	
Supplies	96 73	
Amherst school tax	23 74	
Salaries of School Board & Treas.	60 00	
Bal. in treasury of supply money	10 69	
Balance in treasury	355 63	
		<u>\$2,889 29</u>

J. M. GLEASON,  
District Treasurer.

We certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15th, 1916. Auditors.



# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MONT VERNON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1915.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Sept. 8	Millford	Charles E. Eastwood	Mt. Vernon.	22	All White	Farm hand	Winooski Vt.	Myron F. Eastwood	Winooski Vt.	Agent	1	George F. Marshall Clergyman.
		Frances E. Lambert	Mt. Vernon.	29		Waitress	Oldham Eng.	Lemira Ellis	Dedham Mass.	Housewife	1	Millford
Oct. 8	Brookline	Oscar A. Richardson	Mt. Vernon.	19		Mill hand	Wilton	Mary A. Wilke	Oldham Eng.	Housewife	1	Charles W. Dockrill Clergyman.
		Ida M. Dame	Millford.	19		Mill hand	Dunstable Mas	William Richardson	Lyndeboro	Dead	1	Brookline
Nov. 1	Millford	Cecil Frank Smith	Mt. Vernon.	29		Chauffeur	Mont Vernon.	Minnie J. Duncklee	Lyndeboro	Lumberman	1	Charles A. Reese Clergyman.
		Maud Ethel Wallace	Mt. Vernon.	25		Stenographer	Lyndeboro	Moses M. Dame	Canada	Housewife	1	Millford
Oct. 28	Mt. Vernon.	George Otis Carleton	Mt. Vernon.	21		Farmer	Mont Vernon.	Edna L. Frost	Mont Vernon	Housewife	1	H. P. Peck Clergyman.
		Bessie May Blood	Mt. Vernon.	20		Dressmaker	Mont Vernon.	Annie E. Jones	Manchester	Dead	1	Mont Vernon
								Ida Brown	Lyndeboro	Housewife	1	
								Joseph G. Carleton	Mont Vernon	Farmer	1	
								Minnie B. Spaulding	Millford	Housewife	1	
								George H. Blood	Bedford	Dead	1	
								Mary J. West	Amherst	Housewife	1	

# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MONT VERNON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1915.

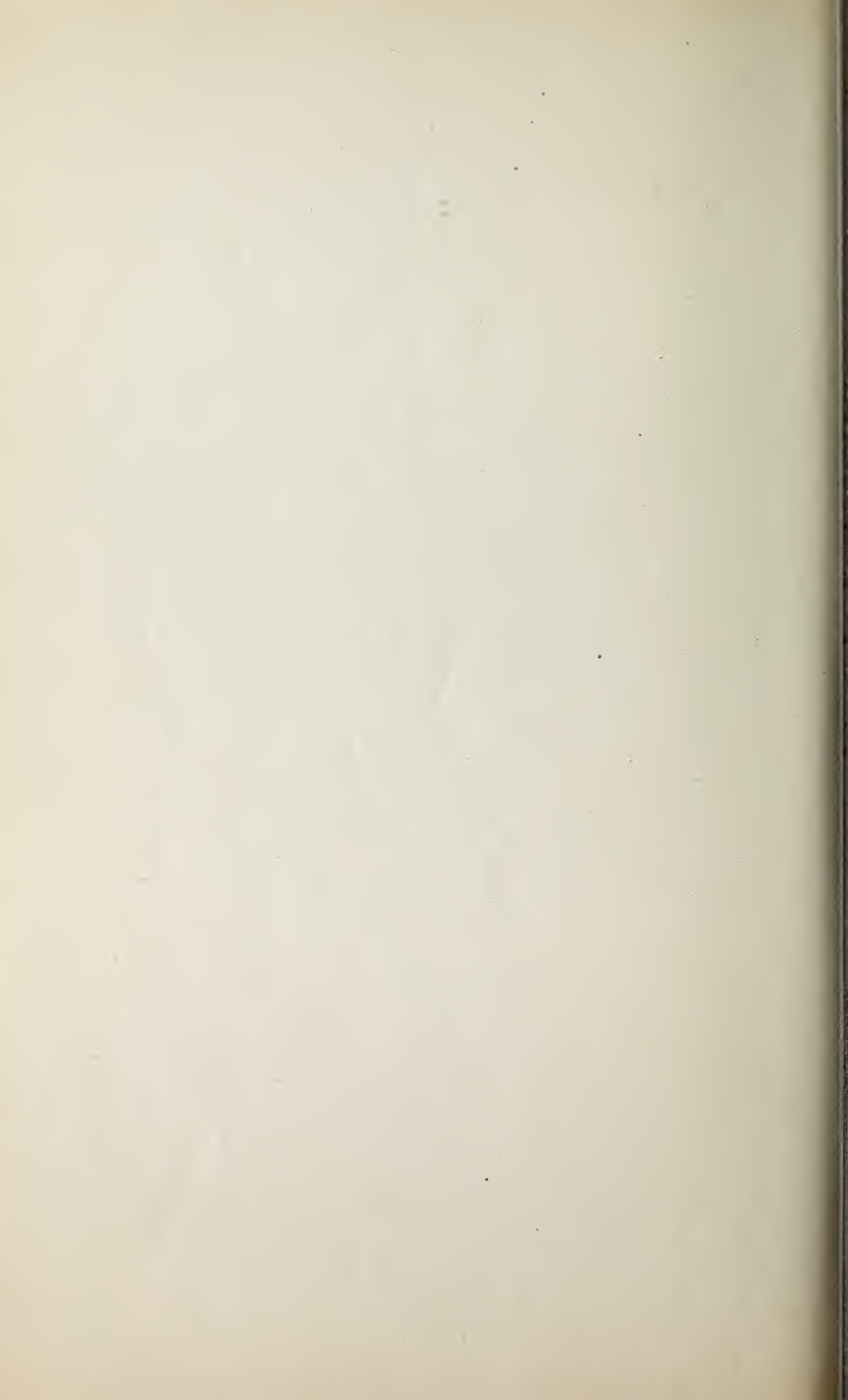
Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of the Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.				Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
			Male.	Female.	Living or still-born.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.							
Oct. 23	Mont Vernon	Ethel Maud .....	.....	F	L	3	White	Clarence W. Sibley....	C. Alice Gray .....	Mont Vernon	Engineer....	Harrington Me.	Milford N H . .
Dec. 29	Mont Vernon	.....	.....	F	L	7	White	Alvin H. Wheeler ...	Elizabeth A. Miller ...	Mont Vernon	Teamster....	Moors Forks .....	Marlow N H ....

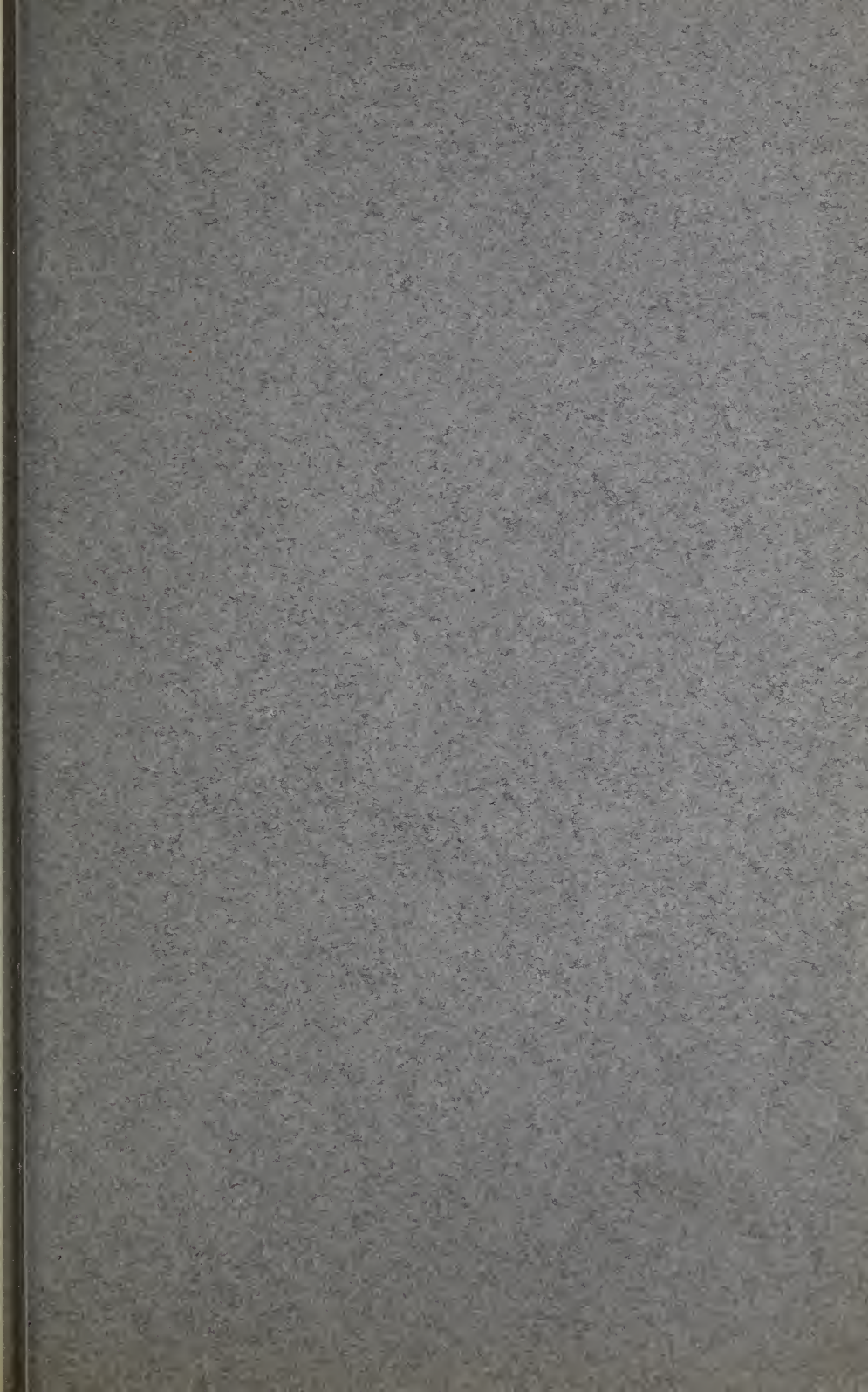
# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MONT VERNON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1915.

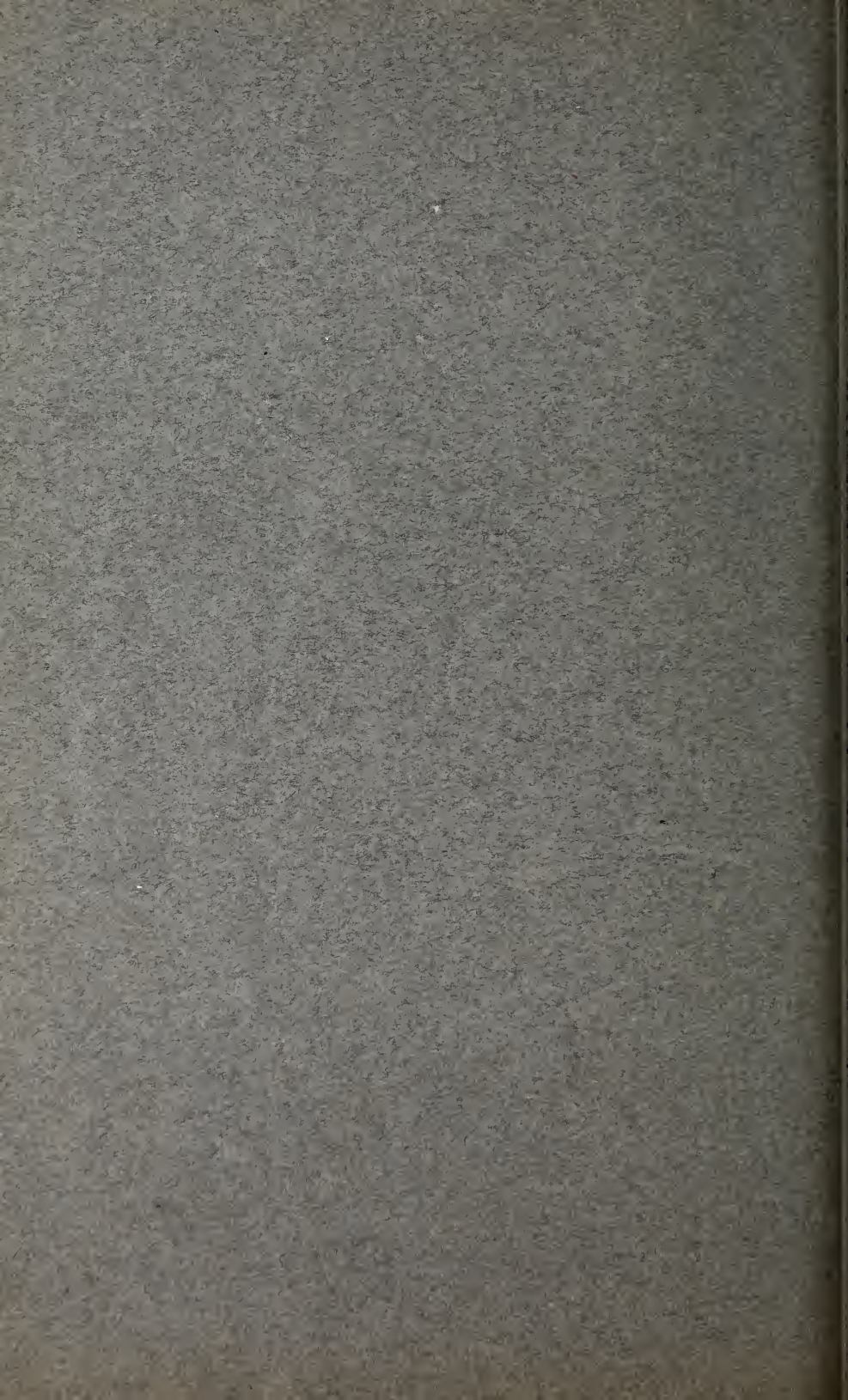
Date of death.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
		Years.	Month z.		Sex.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
April	12 Josiah B. Barker	77	1	Candia	M	All white	Farmer	Candia	Candia	Levi Barker	Sarah Ann Libbey
May	5 Helen M. Tarbell	68	5 27	Mt Vernon	F		Housekeeper	Mt Vernon	Mt Vernon	Chapen S. Langdell	Lucy W. Burnham
June	20 George O. Douglass	53	11 17	Mt Vernon	M		Laborer	New Boston	Mt Vernon	Peter Douglas	Elizabeth Bennett
June	22 Minnie Jane Richardson	49	4 6	New Boston	F		Housewife	Newton N H	Portsmouth	Wm. R. Duncklee	Ursula J. Richards
Aug.	24 Viola J. Clark	68	8 13	Newton N H	F		Housewife	Marblehead Mass	Mt Vernon	Daniel C. Peaslee	Elizabeth Hollon
Aug.	31 Ruthy E. Colby	85	6 11	Mt Vernon	F			Reading Mass	Reading Mass	Thomas Cloutman	Nancy Stevens
Sept.	9 Phila Ann Hesselton	75	1 1	Reading Mass	F			Sharon	Waltham Mass	George Porter	Emily Bancroft
Dec.	16 Lizzie R. Parker	54	1 7	New Boston	F		At home	Sharon	Waltham Mass	Elbridge H. Parker	Hannah E. Fetterhorn

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief,  
HARRY G. BLOOD, *Town Clerk.*











ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

TOWN OFFICERS

—OF—

MONT VERNON, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15, 1917



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MILFORD, N. H.  
CABINET PRINT  
1917



# Warrant for Town Meeting.

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## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Mont Vernon, in the County of Hillsboro, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Mont Vernon, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:—

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing and trust fund committee.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation for the same.
3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate two hundred dollars for the library or take action thereon.
4. To see if the town will vote to build a new road from a point near Mrs. Bragg's place to a point near the bridge on the new road, and raise and appropriate money for same.
5. To see if the town will vote to let the Grange have the use of the town hall the same as last year.
6. To see if the town will vote to pay the tuitions for town scholars at the Stearns School.
7. To see if the town will vote to raise fifty dollars for the park.
8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate twenty-five dollars for Memorial Day.
9. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid for roads.

Given under our hands and seal this 26th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventeen.

EDWARD W. TROW,  
EDWARD W. TROW,  
GEORGE D. KITTREDGE,  
NORMAN HORTON,  
Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

# Report of Selectmen

## BALANCE SHEET

### ASSETS

Cash in hands of town treasurer	\$1,419 96	
Accounts due Town:		
Taxes not collected, levy of 1916	467 26	
Due from the State:		
(a) State Highway joint fund act.	445 75	
(b) Bounties	5 40	
(c) For fighting forest fire	9 92	
Total assets		\$2,348 29
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	1,820 54	
Grand total		\$4,168 83

### LIABILITIES

Unpaid balances set aside for special purposes:		
Due to schools:		
(a) Dog licenses		\$ 69 00
State and town joint highway acts.:		
(a) Joint Fund account		1,114 33
Notes outstanding:		
C. H. Raymond	\$1,200 00	
J. M. Kittredge	350 00	
J. F. Perham	100 00	
M. B. Raymond	100 00	
Frances A. Holt	200 00	
J. H. Blood	100 00	
J. H. Blood, int. on note	4 00	
		\$2,054 00
Cemetery Trust Funds	\$900 00	
Interest on same	31 50	
		\$931 50
Total liabilities		\$4,168 83

## Town of Mont Vernon, N. H.

## RECEIPTS AND

## RECEIPTS

## Current Revenue:

## From Local Taxes:

1. Property and poll taxes, current year	\$9,132 55
2. Property and poll taxes, previous years	271 47

## From State:

3. Railroad Tax	12 23
4. Savings bank tax	373 69
5. Literary fund	48 99
6. For highways:	
(a) For State aid maintenance	204 75
(b) For State aid construction	214 10
7. For bounties	7 60

## From County:

8. For support of poor:	
H. L. Proctor	39 00
Jarvis Smith	9 11

## From Local Sources except Taxes:

9. Dog licenses	69 00
10. Peddlers' licenses	8 00
11. Rent of town hall	131 50
12. Interest on taxes 1916	17 88
Interest on taxes 1915	11 27

## Receipts other than Current Revenue:

13. Souhegan Nat'l Bank notes	1,200 00
14. Town Histories sold	13 00
15. Priamry fees	5 00
16 Abatements	12 20

Total receipts from all sources	\$11,781 34
Cash on hand at beginning of year	24 53

Grand total	\$11,805 87
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**PAYMENTS****For Year Ending Feb. 15, 1917****PAYMENTS****I. Current Maintenance Expenses:****General Government:**

- |   |          |
|---|----------|
| 1. Salaries and expenses of town officers | \$427 43 |
| 2. Election & registrat'n expenses        | 90 00    |
| 3. Care & supplies for town hall          | 164 18   |

**Protection of persons and property:**

- |                       |       |
|-----------------------|-------|
| 4. Police department  | 5 00  |
| 5. Fire department    | 71 77 |
| 6. Moth extermination | 3 00  |
| 7. Bounties           | 5 40  |

**Health and Sanitation:**

- |                      |       |
|----------------------|-------|
| 8. Vital statistics  | 2 05  |
| 9. Health department | 26 00 |

**Highways and Bridges:**

- |   |          |
|---|----------|
| 10. Highway maint., town account                            | 2,077 53 |
| 11. Highway maintenance account, state & town joint account | 578 80   |
| 12. Street lighting   | 396 00   |

**Education:**

- |               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| 13. Libraries | 158 67 |
|---------------|--------|

**Charities:**

- |                                    |       |
|------------------------------------|-------|
| 14. County poor                    | 48 11 |
| 15. Expense and salary of overseer | 10 60 |

**Patriotic Purposes:**

- |                  |       |
|------------------|-------|
| 16. Memorial Day | 21 77 |
|------------------|-------|

**Recreation:**

- |           |       |
|-----------|-------|
| 17. Parks | 50 00 |
|-----------|-------|

**Public Service Enterprises:**

- |              |       |
|--------------|-------|
| 18. Cemetery | 69 50 |
|--------------|-------|

**II Interest:**

- |                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| 19. Paid on temporary loans | 118 72 |
|-----------------------------|--------|

**III. Outlay for New Construction  
& Permanent Improvements:**

- |                                    |        |
|------------------------------------|--------|
| 20. Highway construct., town acct. | 165 91 |
|------------------------------------|--------|

**PAYMENTS****For Year Ending Feb. 15, 1917**

21. Highway construct., state aid account	214 10
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**IV. Indebtedness**

22. Payments on principal of debt	1,300 00
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**V. Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

23. State tax	945 00
24. County tax	756 63
25. Payments to School districts	2,625 14

**VI. All Other Payments:**

26. Abatements	14 20
27. Public watering troughs	6 00
28. Printing	34 40

Total payments	<u>          </u>	\$10,385 91
Cash on hand at end of year		1,419 96

Grand total		<u>          </u>	\$11,805 87
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## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### I. CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

#### GENERAL GOVERNMENT

##### 1. Salaries Town Officers

Selectman E. W. Trow	\$100 00	
Selectman G. D. Kittredge	90 00	
Selectman Norman Horton	85 00	
Clerk Harry G. Blood	20 00	
Treasurer Arthur P. Temple	30 00	
Tax Collector Geo. W. Coggin	94 04	
	<hr/>	\$419 04

##### Expenses :

G. D. Kittredge, Manchester	\$1 83	
E. W. Trow, Manchester	2 08	
A. P. Temple, postage	78	
H. G. Blood, postage	50	
F. O. Lamson, stationery	80	
E. W. Trow, postage, telephone, etc.	2 40	
	<hr/>	\$8 39

##### 2. Election and Registration Expenses

F. O. Lamson, moderator	\$ 5 00	
N. F. Hooper, supervisor	22 00	
C. O. Ingalls, supervisor	22 00	
J. M. Gleason, supervisor	17 00	
W. S. Stinson, clerk pro tem	2 00	
Geo. C. Hadley, ballot clerk	6 00	
M. H. Raymond, ballot clerk	6 00	
N. F. Hooper, ballot clerk	6 00	
Geo. C. Hadley, auditor	2 00	
N. P. Hoper, auditor	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$90 00

##### 3. Care and Supplies for Town Hall

W. P. Jenkins, janitor	\$ 3 50
Geo. F. Averill, janitor	4 50
Geo. W. Pike, janitor	76 00
G. W. Pike, setting glass & supplies	2 95
Geo. Moore, repairs on furnace	6 03



Norman Horton, wood	34 00	
Temple & Blood, supplies	12 27	
Milford Light & Power Co., lighting	23 71	
Milford Light & Power Co., supplies	1 22	
	<hr/>	\$164 18

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

### 4. Police Department

D. Alexander, police	\$4 00	
W. H. Kendall, Milford with tramp	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$5 00

### 5. Fire Department

Fire at "The Grand:"		
Milford Fire Dept. services	\$38 75	
D. Alexander, watchman	2 00	
N. Horton, drawing engine to Milford	3 50	
A. L. Martin, auto to Barker fire	2 50	
Geo. Wyatt, Lincoln Hall fire	2 00	
W. F. French, acid	5 68	
Bottles for engine, and freight	4 42	
D. Alexander, filling extinguishers	3 00	
J. H. Blood, fire warden	9 92	
	<hr/>	\$71 77

### Moth Extermination

Homer Curtis, picking moths	\$3 00	\$3 00
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### 7. Bounties

Hedgehogs	\$3 40	
R. G. Averill, wild cat	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$5 40

## HEALTH AND SANITATION

### 8. Vital Statistics

H. G. Blood, reporting births, deaths and marriages	\$1 80	
Dr. Stevens, reporting birth	25	
	<hr/>	\$2 05

### 9. Health Department

J. H. Blood, posting house of C. E.		
Blood	\$ 1 00	
Fumigating three times	15 00	
Fumigating Richardson house	5 00	
Fumigating Robinson house	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$26 00

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

### 10. Highway Maintenance—Town Account

F. O. Lamson, repair'g town roads	\$1,052 78	
Snow bill 1916-1917	1,024 75	
	<hr/>	\$2,077 53

### 11. Highway Maintenance, State and Town Joint Acct.

Patrolman, State road	\$408 50	
Patrolman, Town roads	146 00	
Road drag	8 50	
C. O. Ingalls, gravel	7 70	
J. S. Trow, gravel	5 55	
G. E. Bates, gravel	2 25	
	<hr/>	\$578 80

### 12. Street Lighting

Street lighting	\$396 00
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## EDUCATION

### 13. Library

J. M. Gleason, appropriation	\$150 00	
Lighting	8 67	
	<hr/>	\$158 67

## CHARITIES

### 14. County Poor

Suppor, H. L. Proctor to July 1, '16	\$39 00	
Support Jarvis Smith to July 1, '16	9 11	
	<hr/>	\$48 11

**15. Expenses and Salary of Overseer**

Geo. C. Hadley, salary	\$10 00	
Geo. C. Hadley, telephone	60	
	<hr/>	\$10 60

**PATRIOTIC PURPOSES****16. Memorial Day**

H. G. Blood, transportation	\$12 00	
Decorations	4 05	
Refreshments	5 72	
	<hr/>	\$21 77

**RECREATION****17. Parks and Playgrounds**

W. H. Kendall	\$50 00
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**PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES****18. Cemeteries**

H. G. Blood, cemetery trustee	\$69 50
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**II. INTEREST****19. Paid on Temporary Loans**

Souhegan Nat'l. Bank, interest	\$36 72	
Jane M. Kittredge, int. on note	14 00	
C. H. Raymond, int. on note	48 00	
M. B. Raymond, int. on note	8 00	
J. F. Perham, int. on note	4 00	
Frances A. Holt, int. on note	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$118 72

**III. OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND  
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS****20. Highway Construction—Town Account**

Construction	\$165 91
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**21. Highway Construction—State Aid Account**

Construction	\$214 10
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## IV. INDEBTEDNESS

## 22. Payments on Principal of Debt

Souhegan Nat'l. Bank notes	\$1,200 00	
M. B. Raymond, library note	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,300 00

## V. PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

## 23. State Tax

State tax	\$945 00
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## 24. County Tax

County Tax	\$756 63
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## 25. Payments to School Districts

Appropriation	\$1,700 00	
Supplies	68 55	
Dog tax	99 75	
Literary fund 1916	48 99	
Literary fund 1915	39 65	
Salaries	60 00	
Tuitions:		
Stearns School	102 00	
Milford	246 20	
Amherst '15-'16	120 00	
Amherst '16-'17, 1/2 year	140 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,625 14

## ALL OTHER PAYMENTS

## 26. Abatements

C. H. Raymond, poll tax	\$2 00	
Cecil Smith, poll tax	2 00	
Therrien Donat, poll tax	2 00	
Frank Burgis, poll tax	2 00	
Wm. Scott, poll tax	2 00	
Jarvis Smith	3 50	
J. H. Blood (1915)	70	
	<hr/>	\$14 20

## 27. Public Water Troughs

R. G. Averill	\$3 00	
D. J. Hutchinson	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$6 00

## 28. Printing

Milford Cabinet, town report	\$31 50	
J. P. Melzer, juror blank and dog licenses	2 90	
	<hr/>	\$34 40
		<hr/>
		\$10,385 91

Respectfully submitted,  
 EDWARD W. TROW,  
 GEORGE D. KITTREDGE,  
 NORMAN W. HORTON,  
 Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

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Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1917.

We have this day examined the above report and find  
 it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
 NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
 Auditors.

# Report of Town Treasurer

TOWN OF MONT VERNON

To A. P. Temple, Treasurer.

Dr.

To cash on hand Feb. 15, 1916	\$ 24 53	
Rec'd. from Geo. W. Coggin:		
Taxes uncollected 1915	271 47	
Interest uncollected 1915	11 27	
Taxes uncollected 1916	9,132 55	
Interest collected 1916	17 88	
Abatements	12 20	
Notes at bank	1,200 00	
Bounty on hedgehogs	7 60	
Pedlers' licenses	8 00	
Rent of hall	131 50	
Histories sold	13 00	
Highway department	418 85	
Primaries	5 00	
Dog licenses	69 00	
Total receipts		\$11,322 85
Railroad tax		12 23
Savings Bank tax		373 69
Literary fund		48 99
		<hr/> \$11,757 76

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By paying selectmen's orders	\$9,902 89	
Railroad tax	12 23	
Savings Bank tax	373 69	
Literary fund	48 99	
Cash on hand in bank	1,419 96	
		<hr/> \$11,757 76
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1917	\$1,419 96	
Uncollected taxes 1917	467 26	
Assets		<hr/> \$1,887 22

Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1917.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,

Auditors.



## Report of Road Agent

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Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., to Frank O. Lamson,  
Road Agent, as follows:

Dr.

Rec'd. from town for building State Highway:	
Joint account	\$ 380 01
Repairing town roads	1,052 78
Snow bills 1916-1917	1,024 75
	<hr/> \$2,457 54

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N. Horton	\$257 75
A. Ogden	2 50
W. A. Blanchard	26 00
W. Richardson	18 00
Geo. M. Stearns	186 00
A. Hazen	90 00
H. O. Reed	78 15
J. G. Hopkins	18 00
J. Lacase	90 00
H. Curtis	35 00
A. B. Lamson	60 00
B. & M. Freight	1 09
A. Winn	45 00
A. J. Moreau (repair'g r'd machine)	5 00
Kendall & Wilkins Co. (dynamite & fuse)	21 75
J. Smith	2 00
A. W. Howison (drain pipe)	17 70
New England Machine Co. (repairs for road machine)	16 75
Concord Foundry Co. (grates)	19 50
Telephone and postage	2 00
Geo. C. Hadley	6 00
J. M. Gleason (express)	1 20
F. O. Lamson (gravel)	5 00
F. O. Lamson (posts)	3 00
F. O. Lamson (labor)	395 40
Geo. E. Bates (gravel)	30 00
	<hr/> \$1,432 79

## SNOW BILL

Walter A. Blanchard	\$14 76
Laura Dodge	10 75
Harry Reed	5 20
George Blanchard	3 15
Clement Stinson	5 40
W. S. Stinson	14 56
Alex. Milne	48 10
W. J. Blanchard	3 80
J. F. Connors	53 50
John Hazen	91 66
W. Richardson	28 00
M. Wallace	25 10
G. C. Hadley	49 28
J. M. Ritchie	53 25
H. Curtis	10 60
Geo. Erlando	2 50
Clarence Sibley	4 00
Holden Crossley	12 00
Frank O. Lamson	56 75
W. O. Lamson	10 50
E. W. Trow	81 48
A. Winn	20 70
Nelson Carrow	11 05
N. F. Hooper	10 90
Alwin Carlton	5 40
Walter Reed	18 46
Wesley Nichols	16 86
L. E. Trow	18 50
W. P. Jenkins	9 80.
S. Trow	10 50
R. Mason	3 74
G. D. Secomb	1 00
G. Wyatt	10 50
Geo. Tabbut	6 00
H. Noble	26 98
John Corliss	9 00
A. J. Stearns	15 10
W. L. Robinson	40 27
A. G. Willey	14 20
Geo. D. Kittredge	1 90
Hiram Brown	3 68
R. D. Horne	3 45

H. B. Leighton	13 00
L. G. Feilding	9 00
J. G. Dodge	2 50
J. F. Perham	1 55
J. M. Lawrence	9 50
M. Raymond	4 25
C. F. Isola	4 00
H. A. Hutchinson	9 00
G. C. Hadley	6 50
W. E. Russell	5 50
Geo. Carlton	45 00
A. J. Emery	3 50
E. H. Best	28 87
N. Horton	4 50
C. Gray	6 00
Blood & Temple	15 25
N. F. Hooper	1 50
Holden Crossley	7 00
A. B. Lamson	6 00
	<hr/> \$1,024 75

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We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditors.

## Report of Tax Collector

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Due from 1915 taxes	\$272 17	
Interest from 1915 due	11 27	
		\$283 44
Taxes collected for 1915	\$271 47	
Abatement	70	
Interest collected	11 27	
		\$283 44
Taxes assessed 1916	\$9,611 31	
Interest due	17 88	
		\$9,629 19
Taxes collected 1916	\$9,132 55	
Interest collected	17 88	
Abatements	11 50	
Taxes due Feb. 19, 1917	467 26	
		\$9,629 19

GEORGE W. COGGIN,  
Tax Collector.

## Report of Overseer of Poor

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Paupers chargeable to County:

Support H. L. Proctor to July 1, '16 \$39 00

Support Jarvis Smith to July 1, 1916 9 11

\$48 11

Received from County

\$48 11

GEO. C. HADLEY,  
Overseers Poor.

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We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and duly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER.

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## Report of Cemetery Trustees

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### Receipts

From town

\$69 50

### Expenditures

A. W. Winn, labor and digging graves

\$69 50

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
Treasurer.

# Report of Treasurer of Town Library

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1917

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Dr.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1916	\$ 1 11	
Town appropriation	150 00	
Cash from fines and dues	15 35	
Cash from old books sold	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$168 46

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Cash for periodicals	\$ 9 50	
Cash for books	39 39	
Librarian's services	69 00	
Librarian's supplies	2 44	
Insurance on books	8 25	
Wood and kindling	37 00	
Balance on hand	2 88	
	<hr/>	\$168 46
	J. M. GLEASON,	
	Treasurer.	

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Mont Vernon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1917.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and duly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditors



# Report of School Board

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Financial statement of the Board of Education as shown by orders drawn upon the Treasurer of the School District:

## INSTRUCTION

Alice G. Starrett, one term	\$132 00	
Louise Barrett, three terms	408 00	
Frances Copp, two terms	252 00	
Viola Jenkins, three terms	396 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,188 00

## SALARIES

School Board	\$50 00	
District Treasurer	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$60 00

## TRANSPORTATION

Geo. L. Tabbut, for year 1916	\$169 00	
Geo. L. Tabbut, bal. from 1915	63 00	
Louis A. Trow, bal. from 1915	62 50	
Frank J. Conner, for 1915	15 00	
Walter L. Reed, for 1916	7 00	
Edward W. Trow, 34 weeks @ \$4	136 00	
Frank J. Conner, 32 weeks @ \$2.25	72 00	
Frank O. Lamson, 34 weeks @ \$1	34 00	
W. L. Robinson, 34 weeks @ \$1	34 00	
Rufus G. Averill, 34 weeks @ \$1	34 00	
	<hr/>	\$626 50

## SUPPLIES

E. B. Babb	\$51 68	
American Book Co.	5 62	
Ginn & Co.	13 89	
Thompson, Brown & Co.	2 67	
A. N. Palmer & Co.	4 98	
Houghton & Mifflin Co.	40	
	<hr/>	\$79 24

## JANITORS

Mrs. Laura Pike & labor on grounds	\$87 35	
Josephine La Casse	8 02	
	<hr/>	\$95 37

## MISCELLANEOUS

F. O. Lamson, express and postage	\$2 00	
Blood & Temple, sundries	2 85	
J. M. Gleason, express	2 73	
Abbie Averill, cleaning	2 00	
George Pike, cleaning vault, sawing wood, etc.	3 30	
	<hr/>	\$12 88

## FUEL

H. A. Hutchinson, for wood	\$30 75	
F. O. Lamson, for wood & kindlings	24 00	
John Hazen, for wood & kindlings	21 00	
	<hr/>	\$75 75

## REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Frank Smith, labor Centre school	\$30 25	
18 $\frac{1}{4}$ squares Rep. Green roofing @ \$5.50	100 38	
38 lbs. galv. nails	3 04	
10 lbs. 9d nails	45	
8 lbs. sheet lead	1 12	
Elastic cement	20	
48 ft. finish lumber	1 32	
Ball road and paint	75	
Stock furnished	3 60	
	<hr/>	\$141 11
W. L. Winslow, repairs		\$9 70

## WEST DISTRICT TABERNACLE

Frank Smith, labor	\$11 02	
Stock furnished, lumber, nails, paint etc.	13 04	
	<hr/>	\$24 06

## SUMMARY

Instruction	\$1,188 00	
Transportation	626 50	
Repairs and improvements	174 87	
Janitors	95 37	
Supplies	79 24	
Fuel	75 75	
Salaries	60 00	
Miscellaneous	12 88	
	<hr/>	\$2,312 61

FRANK O. LAMSON,  
MRS. MAUDE F. KITTREDGE,  
FRANK J. CONNER,  
Board of Education.

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1917

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 Dr.

Bal. in treasury Feb. 15, 1916	\$355 63	
Bal. of supply money	10 69	
School appropriation	1,700 00	
High School tuition	458 20	
Supplies	68 55	
Dog tax	99 75	
Literary fund, 1916	48 99	
Literary fund, 1915	39 65	
Salaries of School Board & Treas.	60 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,841 46

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Paying orders of School Board	\$2,188 43	
High School tuition	458 20	
Supplies	79 24	
Salaries	60 00	
Balance in treasury	55 59	
	<hr/>	\$2,841 46

J. M. GLEASON,  
District Treasurer.

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## Marriages Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon for the Year Ending December 31, 1916.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Sept. 21	Mont Vernon	Clarence F. Roberts.	Mt. Vernon	32	White	Mill hand	Mt. Vernon	Benj. F. Roberts.	Peabody, Mass.	Laborer	1	H. P. Peck Clergyman.
		Clara Bell Brooman.	Amherst	22	White	At home	Derry	Sarah E. Russell. Charles H. White. Clara A. Emerson.	Nashua Lyndeboro Londonderry.	Housekeeper Motorman Housekeeper	1	Mont Vernon. N. H.

## Births Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon for the Year Ending December 31, 1916.

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of the Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
			Male.	Female.							
Apr. 17	Mont Vernon	Ethel	..	F	George O. Carlton	Bessie M. Blood	..	Mont Vernon	Farmer	Mont Vernon	Mont Vernon
July 26	"	Elsie Janet	..	F	Robert C. Mason Jr.	Ethel M. Emery	..	"	"	Lyndeboro	Lyndeboro
Dec. 24	"	Ruth Emma	..	F	Herbert Noble	Emma Alexander	..	"	"	Pittsfield, Me.	Amherst
Dec. 24	"	Edith Adelaide	..	F	Herbert Noble	Emma Alexander	..	"	"	"	"

## Deaths Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon for the Year Ending December 31, 1916

Date of death.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
		Years.	Months.			Color.	Sex.		
Jan. 2	Franklin E. Myers	70	6 16	..	M	All white	M	Farmer	Abigail Eaton
Feb. 6	Arthur A. Trow	86	6 27	Mont Vernon	M	White	M	Farmer	Nancy Cochran
Feb. 24	Theodore M. Wheeler	9	2 16	Marlow	M	White	M	Moose Fork N Y	Elizabeth Miller
May 26	Emily A. Secombe	81	5 1	Derby, Vt.	F	White	W	Housewife	Harriet Stewart
July 11	George Curtis Boutelle	43	4 29	Milford	M	White	M	Insurance Agt	Ella A. McCrillis
Oct. 20	Pearl L. Hoeg	27	7 17	Apple River NS	F	White	S	At home	Ida Duff
								River Phillips NS	George E. Hoeg
								Spencer Is. N. S.	Silas E. Hoeg

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to my best knowledge and belief.

HARRY G. BLOOD, Town Clerk.

# INVOICE AND TAXES

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
George F. Averill heirs	Home place	\$2500	25	\$3500	
	Wood lot	1000			
Edward G. Averill	Home place		71	700	710
Rufus G. Averill	Home place		15	1000	165
George F. Averill	Home place	1800	51	4000	495
	Pine lot	1400			
	Field	400			
	Wood lot	200			
	Wood lot	200			
Daniel Alexander	Bruce place		1	700	400
Sarah L. Barker	Home place		70	1800	68
Mrs. Geo. Blanchard	Home place		150	1000	230
Mary J. Blood	Home place	1200	29	3100	
	½ Ryan lot	700			
	Richardson lot	1200			
Chas. W. Blood	Sprout land	200	67	1000	400
	Pasture	700			
	Field	100			
Harry G. Blood	Home place	2000	110	5000	675
	Starrett field	200			
	Pasture land	2800			
Chas. E. Blood	Home place		20	1000	60
Ida Blood	Home place			1300	
Frank Blood	McCullom place			600	
Blood & Kendall	Prince lot		7	600	
James A. Brown	"The Valley"		7	200	
Joseph H. Blood	Home place	2500		5860	850
	Humphrey place	2000			
	Conant field	500			
	Marden field	150			
	Richardson lot	200			
	Starrett land	400			
	½ McCullom land	60			
	½ Marden land	50			
Chas. D. Brown					305
Joseph D. Brown	Home place		80	1200	525
James W. Brown					208
Maria Brown heirs	Brown farm		100	2500	
Geo. E. Bates	"The Grand"	15,000		16,700	
	Cottage	1500			
	Gerrish land	200			
Geo. E. Boutelle heirs	"The Bellevue"	3500			
Edw. H. Best	Home place	14,500	786	17,500	6785
	Riley farm	3000			



Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
Mary R. Best	Batchelder farm & Sargent place		168	3200	4000
Mrs. A. W. Bragg	Chase place	3500	6	5900	12,000
	L. Smith place	1500			
	Pike house	600			
	Wood lot	300			
John E. Corliss	Home place	1500	75	1575	75
	Meadow	75			
Stillman E. Curtis					400
Wm. Conant heirs	Cottage & barn			1500	
Joseph Conant heirs	Home place		65	1500	40
George W. Coggin	House & shop		1/2	2300	
Holden Crossley					150
Frank J. Conner					250
N. B. Carron	Trow place		35	1500	75
J. G. Carlton	Home farm	3000	80	4660	1345
	Parker, Trow lots	600	84		
	Cloutman lot	200	21		
	1/2 Ryan lot	700			
	1/2 Marden field	50			
	1/2 McCollom land	60			
	Averill lot	50			
Joseph Davidson	Home place		35	800	125
Caroline S. Davis	Home place		2	1400	
Henry F. Dodge heirs	Home place	6500	118	7700	2400
	Old place	200			
	Wood lot	1000			
James Dunlop	Cottage		2	1400	
John Endrejat	Home place		2	1700	
Jane Eliot heirs	Old place		80	1400	
A. J. Emery	Home place		10	1000	50
A. G. Erlando	Hill farm		80	2200	150
John M. Fox	Home place			1800	
Wm. H. Fox	House & field		6	1000	
Frank Ferdinand	House & garage		3	5000	35,000
Eunice Fox					300
Mary C. Gleason					400
J. M. Gleason	Home place	2500	41	3250	1190
	Field	600			
	Sprout lot	150			
Ralph Gray	Jason Stearns place		4	150	50
George C. Hadley	Home place		100	3000	365

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
John Hazen	Home place	1200	50	2200	275
	Timber land	1000			
Patrick Herlihy	Home place		80	1000	200
George F. Holt	Hearthstone field	250	13	900	150
	Trevitt field	150			
	Parker place	500			
W. D. Hooper heirs	Home place and sprout lot		55	1500	
N. F. Hoper	Home place		80	2500	50
Norman Horton	Home place		120	2500	800
Will Hopkins					100
John Hopkins	Home place		90	1200	400
John R. Horne	Home place		2	800	285
Arthur Hazen					125
Joanna Holt heirs	Home place		1	1000	
Lucy J. Hutchinson	Wilkins farm		162	2800	
H. A. Hutchinson	Home farm	5800	140	14,825	1040
	Dodge land	1500	200		
	Carkin land	300	50		
	Riley land	1000	100		
	Wright land	200	20		
	Trow land	100	30		
	Crosby land	300	37		
	Purgatory lot	200	26		
	Blair land	800	40		
	Upton land	1000	40		
	Hooper land	800	100		
	Wilkins land	200	12		
	Batchelder land	125	12		
	Tarbell place	2500	80		
Chas. F. Isola	Howard pasture		40	800	1575
Maude H. Isola	Home place		8	5000	
Chas. O. Ingalls	Home place		75	2800	573
Wm. P. Jenkins	Home place	1200	10	1700	195
	Field	200			
	Field	300			
W. H. Kendall	Home place	4500	2	6000	100
	Store	1000			
	Outlands	500			
George D. Kittredge	Home farm	5000	130	7000	3900
	Part Wyman f'm	2000	45		
Marrietta Lamson					300
James Lawrence	Home place		85	800	625
Frank O. Lamson	Home place & Fuller pasture	6000	600	21,000	1515

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
Frank O. Lamson	Kittredge pasture & Green lot	5000			
	100 acre lot	6000			
	Trow farm	4000			
Joseph Lacass	W. P. Holt place		40	600	400
Harry Leighton					213
Robert Mason	Gourdy place		16	800	90
Frank Myers heirs	Upton farm		50	2000	75
John T. McCollom	Home place		1	2000	50
Emma J. Marvell	"Sunset House"	2400	2	3400	
	Cottage	1000			
A. F. Milne	C. Blood farm		50	1000	115
W. E. Nichols					50
Mrs. W. E. Nichols	Smith place		3	200	
Wesley Nichols	Home place	650	60	1200	800
	Sarah Carson l'd	250			
	Page land	300			
John Nichols	Beech Hill farm		12	500	
Mrs. L. E. Phillips	House	3000		4200	
	Wood lot & field	1200			
J. F. Perham	Home place	1200	35	2825	985
	Pinkham lot	400			
	Ryan lot	1000			
	Beech Hill land	50			
	Averill land	100			
	Burnham lot	75			
H. P. Peck					200
Geo. W. Pike	Home place	800		2150	525
	Travis land	400			
	Nancy Pike h'se	500			
	Perkins land	200			
	Averill land	250			
C. C. Pettigrew	Worthen farm		115	7000	350
W. E. Russell	Ryan farm		65	1400	253
H. O. Reed					50
Walter Reed	Bennet place		18	300	125
C. H. Raymond	Home place	4000	70	12,400	3855
	Hopkins land	8000	60		
	Elmer Trow lot	400	14		
M. H. Raymond	Trow lot	1000	50	1600	608
	Campbell lot	600			
Mary E. Richardson	Home place		44	2000	
W. L. Robinson	Home place		150	3000	400
B. F. Roberts	Home place		10	700	
Clarence Roberts	House		4	700	

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
J. M. Ritchie	Curtis farm		50	1500	603
Will Richardson	Rand farm		100	400	295
A. F. Stearns	Andover Hall	4500	4	6000	423
	Stevens Field	1000			
	Marden field	500			
W. S. Stinson	Home place		16	1700	40
Clement Stinson					300
Wm. Stevens heirs	Home place		22	2800	
Lizzie Slate	Cottage			400	
Geo. M. Sterns	Home place		33	600	125
Lizzie Stearns	Home place		14	1000	120
	Pasture & w'd lot		42		
A. J. Stearns	Harvey Stearns' p'ce		33	600	
Alice Starertt	Home place			2200	
Arthur D. Scott	Shattuck place		2	150	100
Clarence Sibley	Alexander place		67	300	
Frank Smith	Home place	2500	27	4000	325
	Rusell field	200			
	Meadow	100			
	Wood lot	1200			
Harry Smith	Home farm	3300	90	5300	658
	Travis lot	2000			
W. S. A. Starrett	Home place	3600	2½	4100	500
	Sprout lot	500	16½		
Jarvis Smith	Home place		2	100	
Emily Secomb	Home place		45	800	25
George D. Secomb					290
J. H. Tarbell heirs	Kinson lot		100	10,000	
Jesse S. Trow	Home place		77	2500	575
E. W. Trow	Home place	3200	200	4350	1280
	Wallace Hill p't're	800			
	½ Herlihy place	350			
L. A. Trow	Home place	2400	90	3050	1260
	Holcombe lot	300			
	½ Herlihy place	350			
Geo. L. Tabbutt					340
Edith Tabbutt	McQuestion place		90	1600	
John Trevitt	Home place		38	5500	1200
Fred Townes					100
Arthur P. Temple	Home place	2600	1	3600	100
	Sprout lot	1000			
Temple & Blood					2700
Albert A. Willey	Bert West place		40	800	315
Alonzo Winn	Home place		8	1000	50
Miles Wallace	Home place		50	1600	513

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
W. P. Woods	Cottage		1	900	
W. W. Warner	Hadley farm		90	1000	
Sarah Weston	Spaulding farm		40	1100	

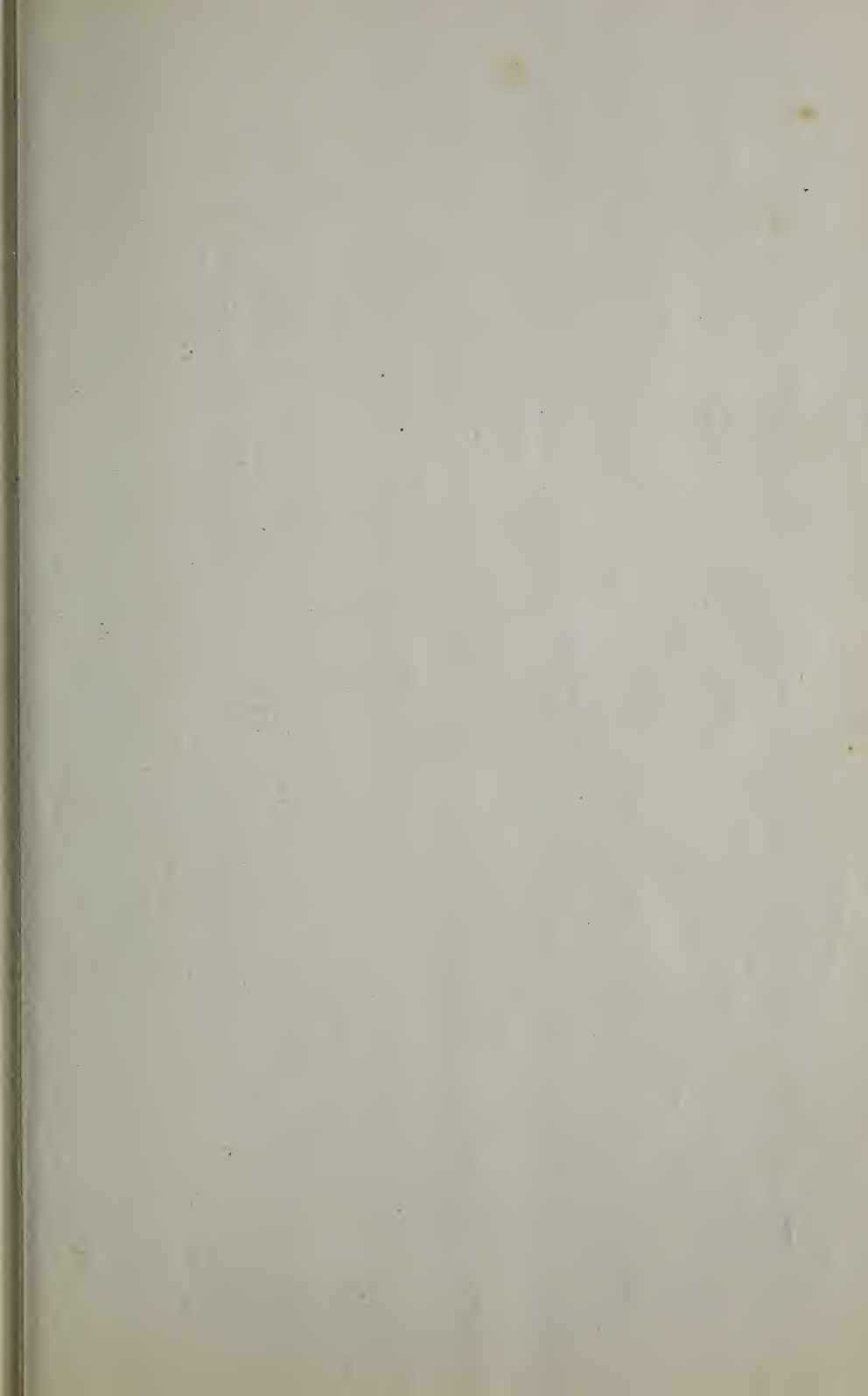
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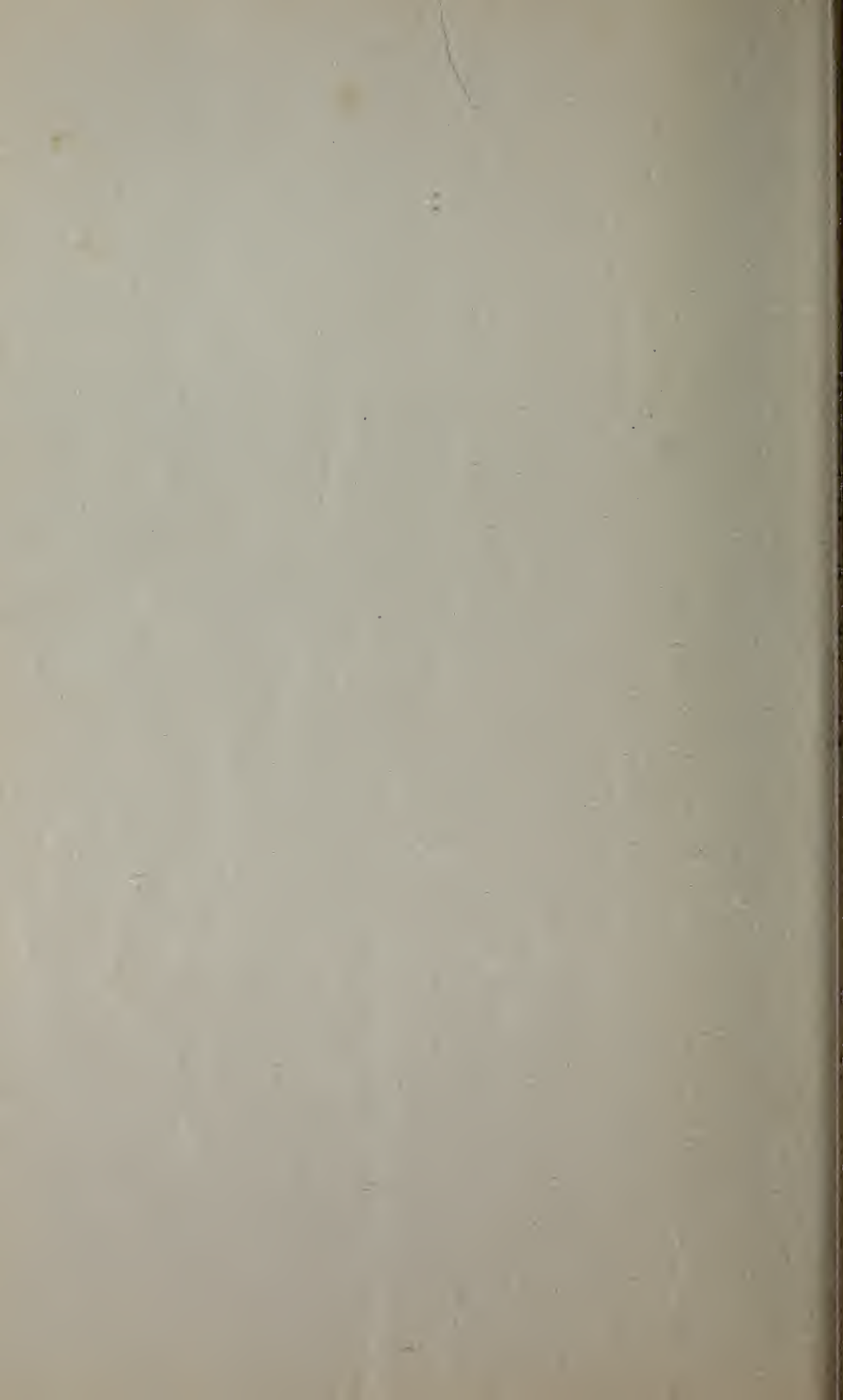
Chester B. Averill	Wood lot		24	3000	
John Batchelder heirs	Sprout lot		82	700	
L. E. Brown	Sawyer meadow	50	6	500	
	Stevens & Brown land	450	23		
Madelaine E. Boutwell	House lots			500	
John A. Bullard	Sprout land		2	20	
W. H. Bowen	Beech Hill p't're	352		750	
	Rand land	300			
	Haggatt land	100			
C. Bosclair	Starrett land		70	250	
Bertha Blanpied	Hildreth land		1	50	
Cecil K. Bancroft	Hearthstone place		5	1800	
Mrs. Geo. Auryansen	Hildreth farm		37	1800	
Madelaine G. Boutwell	Bungalow, garage and land			10,000	
Harry Conant	Albert Conant place		1	2400	
K. S. Curtis heirs	Sprout lot	200	10	900	
	Burnham land	700			
E. C. Curtis	Woodland		11	900	
Asher Curtis	Woodland		30	500	
Abbie Cram	Woodlot		63	1000	
Mary J. Campbell	Lot 91 Div 4		56	450	
Mrs. E. J. Clark heirs	Stinson place		2	4000	
Geo. J. Carson	Part Sarah Carson l'd		40	600	
Geo. E. Crawley	Part Wyman farm		6	3000	
John T. Cranshaw	Phillips cottage, garage & land			3500	
Clark & Holt	Robinson land		40	1000	
Chas. Colby	Sprout land		2	30	
Benj. Dodge	Beech Hill land		40	550	
Chas. O. Davis	Part old Town Farm		40	500	
Orrin C. Hubbard	Colby place		4	4000	
Chas. A. Hubbard	Wilson land	6500		12,500	
	Campbell place	4500			
	Cottage	1500			
E. B. Hall	Lot 4, Div. 2			75	
D. J. Hutchinson	Home place		42	4600	
A W & J. G. Howison	Davis lot		10	1200	
Anna L. Edwards	Bennet place			300	
Frank Hartshorn Co.	Kittredge past're	2000	28	43,575	400
	Green land	1800	44		
	Weston land	100	10		

Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
Frank Hartshorn Co.	Cleaves land	800	12		
	S. L. Story land	8000	100		
	Jas. Lewis land	1200	8		
	E. J. Flanders l'd	2500	26		
	Perkins pasture	250	20		
	Campbell, Averill				
	& Bruce lots	10,000	117		
	Marvell & Harris	2500	15		
	Albert Trow l'd	5000	50		
	G. M. Parker l'd	500	7		
	G. Averill lots	2500	37		
	H. Perkins lot	600	10		
	S. F. Livingston				
	lot	500	10		
	Gilson lot	4000	25		
	Elmer Trow lot	500	33		
	Standing timber:				
	Lamson	200			
	Dodge farm	450			
	E. B. Hall	175			
Henry Lazarus	Osgood place	6500	18	8000	1000
	Conant land	500			
	Colby land	1000			
Mary P. Marden	Rotch house	2500		3500	
	Marden house	1000			
E. G. Martin	Bruce place		3	1800	
Sarah McQuestion heirs	Merrill & Herrick				
	land		40	1500	
C. E. Kendall	D. Brown farm		75	850	
F. E. Kendall	Bohonan farm		25	650	
C. E. & F. E. Kendall	Part W. H. Ken-				
	dall farm		40	500	
Aaron Russell heirs	Bank lot		10	100	
Milford L. & P. Co.					1000
Emma A. Noble	Pasture		21	150	
L. A. Roby	Pasture		80	500	
Wm. Ryan heirs	Meadow & sprout	500	81	750	
	Sprout land	250			
	Winters house		1	800	
Lucy Stiles	Sprout land		13	500	
Paul Stucklen heirs	Home place	4500	4	4850	
	Averill field	350			
	Stiles place		25	1000	
Bertha Sprague	Woodland		8	1200	
Henry Stinson heirs	C. J. Smith place		3	700	
Lilia E. Smith	Stiles lot		60	800	
C. H. V. Smith	Elmer Trow place		3	150	
Marion S. Shattuck					
Trustees McCollom Inst.	Lincoln Hall			3000	



Name	Description	Value	Acres	Real Estate	Personal Property
C. L. Trow	Underwood lot	3000	45	3600	
	Stinson lot	500	20		
	Marvel lot	100	4		
Lovell Wright	Pasture			350	
Albert West	Pasture		10	250	
J. F. Wellington	Home place & l'd		6	4200	180
Chas. Upton	Whitney place	800	10	900	
	Upton place	100			
John Roby	Bills land		5	240	
Nashua Lumber Co.	Odell lot	3500		3900	
	Stevens lot	1400			
White Mt. Freezer Co.	Standing timber			18,500	800
D. Whiting & Sons	Averill lot	750		2360	
	J. F. Perham 2 lots	300			
	Stevens lot	50			
	Carkin lot	200			
	McCollom lot	200			
	W. P. Holt land	160			
	Standing timber	700			
Lemuel Fuller	McCollom lot		37	110	
Ernest Parker	Sprout land		20	60	
John Pesterfield	Wood & pasture l'd		70	1600	
Page & Adams	Lumber				3500
N. F. Platts	Beech Hill land		10	200	
D. E. Proctor	Neville & Proctor land		10	300	
C. L. Perham	Russell land		22	150	
W. H. Palmer	Cottage		3	700	
Nelson Merchant					100
Langdell & Colburn	Lumber				7000
E. A. Smith	Lumber				100
Colburn & Hutchinson	Tarbell farm	100		7000	
Mary Remington	Kendall Hill		130	1500	
A. W. Remington	Kendall hill		4	450	
A. S. Rabadore	Corner lot				100
Hughes	Well drilling outfit				500
Landers	Slate				500
Stearns & Flathers	Lumber				2500
Robert H. Bean	Gilson place		30	1200	
E. Cram	Sprout land			200	
Grace N. Steavens	Wheeler place			1300	
Hobart	Standing timber			800	





ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

TOWN OFFICERS

—OF—

MONT VERNON, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1918



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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### Selectmen

CHAS. H. RAYMOND                      JOSEPH H. BLOOD  
GEORGE O. CARLETON

### Town Treasurer

A. P. TEMPLE

### Clerk

HARRY G. BLOOD

### Tax Collector

GEORGE W. COGGIN

### Road Agent

F. O. LAMSON

### Chief Police

DANIEL ALEXANDER

## Warrant for Town Meeting.

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To the Inhabitants of the Town of Mont Vernon in the County of Hillsboro, in said State qualified to vote in Town Affairs, you are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said Mont Vernon, on Tuesday, March 12 next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing, and trust fund committees
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation for same.
3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate two hundred dollars for the library or take action thereon.
4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate fifty dollars to be expended on the park.
5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate twenty-five dollars for Memorial Day.
6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to build a concrete sidewalk from Main street past Geo. F. Averill's to the Amherst road, or take any action in relation thereto.
8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate four hundred dollars for repairs on State highway.
9. To see if the town will vote to let the Grange have the use of Town hall same as last year.

10. To see if the town will raise and appropriate such sums of money as will be necessary to paint and repair the town house.

CHARLES H. RAYMOND,  
JOSEPH H. BLOOD,  
GEORGE O. CARLETON,  
Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

## BALANCE SHEET

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### Assets

Cash in hand town treasurer	\$2,019 63
Accounts due town:	
Taxes not collected, levy 1917	481 75
Due from State:	
(a) State Highway acct.	693 92
(b) Bounty on hedgehogs	2 60
Taxes bought by town:	
Heirs Jane Elliot	23 30
Interest on same	1 63
A. J. Stearns	12 72
Interest on same	89
Total assets	<hr/> \$3,236 44
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	1,523 87
Grand total	<hr/> \$4,760 31

### Liabilities

Unpaid balances set aside for special purposes:	
Due to schools:	
(a) Dog licenses	\$75 50
State and town joint highway accounts:	
Due State highway	\$1,734 81
Notes outstanding:	
C. H. Raymond	\$1,200 00
J. M. Kittredge	350 00
J. F. Perham	100 00
M. B. Raymond	300 00
Frances Holt	1,000 00
	<hr/> \$2,950 00
Total liabilities	<hr/> \$4,760 31

## Town of Mont Vernon, N. H.

## RECEIPTS

## RECEIPTS

## Current Revenue from Local Taxes:

1. Property and poll taxes, current year	\$7,952 62	
2. Property and poll taxes previous year	467 26	
3. Interest on taxes, 1916	10 97	
4. Interest on taxes, 1917	13 97	
	<hr/>	\$8,444 82

## From State:

5. Railroad tax	\$144 06	
6. Savings Bank tax	441 38	
7. Literary fund	41 76	
8. Insurance tax	15 75	
9. School fund	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$842 95

## For State aid maintenance

\$313 03

## For State aid construction

114 73

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\$427 76

## Forest fires

\$6 34

## From Local Sources:

Dog licenses	\$ 75 50	
Pelders' licenses	8 00	
Rent town hall	108 00	
Town Histories sold	8 50	
Money borrowed	1,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,200 00

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\$10,921 87

## Cash on hand at beginning of year

\$1,419 96

## Abatements \$9.20

**PAYMENTS****Year Ending January 31, 1918.****PAYMENTS**

## Current Maintenance Expenses:

## General Government:

1. Salaries and expenses of town officers \$439 36
2. Election expenses 52
3. Care and supplies for town hall 110 22
- Temple & Blood, supplies 28 04

## Protection of persons and property:

4. Police department 23 50
5. Fire department 61 03
6. Bounties 2 60

## Health and sanitation:

7. Vital statistics:
  - G. W. Pike, cleaning ditch 2 50
  - H. G. Blood, reporting births, marriages, deaths 2 25

## Highways and bridges:

- Maintenance, Town account 1,401 43
- Bates road 200 00
- State and town joint account 626 06
- Street lighting 405 63

## Education:

- Libraries 209 00

## Patriotic purposes:

- Memorial Day 17 46

## Recreation:

- Parks 50 00

## Public service enterprises:

- Cemetery 77 00
- Taxes bought by town 36 02
- Printing Town Reports 47 00
- Abatements 14 07
- Insurance 48 00

## Interest:

- Paid on temporary loans 159 07



**PAYMENTS****Year Ending January 31, 1918.****PAYMENTS**

Outlay for new construction and  
permanent improvements:

Highway construction: State  
and Town accounts 414 25

Indebtedness:

Payment on principal of debt 1,000 00

Payment to other Governmental Di-  
visions:

State tax 975 00

War tax 130 00

County tax 756 63

Payment to School districts 3,095 76

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\$10,331 40

## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### GENERAL GOVERNMENT

#### 1. Salaries Town Officers

C. H. Raymond, selectman	\$90 00	
J. H. Blood, selectman	80 00	
Geo. O. Carlton, selectman	75 00	
Harry G. Blood, town clerk	20 00	
A. P. Temple, town treasurer	30 00	
Geo. W. Coggin, tax collector	84 19	
Geo. C. Hadley, overseer poor	20 00	
Geo. C. Hadley, auditor	2 00	
N. F. Hooper, auditor	2 00	
N. F. Hooper, supervisor	6 00	
C. O. Ingalls, supervisor	6 00	
J. M. Gleason, supervisor	6 00	
	<hr/>	\$421 19

#### 2. Expenses

C. H. Raymond:		
Two trips to Manchester	\$3 14	
Trip to Concord	2 72	
Postage and telephone	2 30	
J. H. Blood:		
Two trips to Manchester	3 14	
Use of auto	4 00	
Postage, etc.	1 30	
A. P. Temple, postage	82	
H. G. Blood, postage	75	
	<hr/>	\$18 17
E. C. Eastman, town warrants		52

#### 3. Care and Supplies for Town House.

J. H. Blood, 5 cords wood at \$4	\$20 00	
Percy Scott, sawing wood	2 50	
Geo. W. Pike, janitor	6 50	
Daniel Alexander, janitor	66 00	
Lighting, town hall	12 87	
D. Alexander, lights	2 35	
	<hr/>	\$110 22

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

## 4. Police Department

Paid W. E. Jennings on account of arrest at Mrs. Barker's	\$10 00	
D. Alexander, police	2 00	
D. Alexander, killing dog	1 00	
D. Alexander, collecting dog tax	1 50	
J. Reidle, arrest at Bates'	5 00	
Keeping tramps	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$23 50

## Fire Department

J. H. Blood, forest fires	\$ 5 80	
West & Perry, auto to Bates fire '16	2 00	
Milford Fire Dept., expenses to Wellington fire	46 98	
D. Alexander, filling fire extinguishers	2 00	
D. Alexander, watching at Wellington's fire	3 00	
W. H. Wilkins, bottles for extinguishers	1 25	
	<hr/>	\$61 03

## Bounties

13 hedgehogs	\$2 60
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## Health and Sanitation

G. W. Pike, cleaning ditch	\$ 2 50	
H. G. Blood, reporting births, marriages and deaths	2 25	
	<hr/>	\$4 75

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

## Highway Maintenance—Town Accounts

F. O. Lamson, repairing town roads and snow bills	\$1,401 43	
Bates road	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,601 43

**Highway Maintenance—State and Town Joint Account**

Patrolman, State Road	\$589 10	
Drain pipe	36 96	
	<hr/>	\$626 06

**Street Lighting**

Lighting streets		\$405 63
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**Library**

Appropriation, J. M. Gleason	\$200 00	
Lighting	9 00	
	<hr/>	\$209 00

**PATRIOTIC PURPOSES****Memorial Day**

H. G. Blood, transportation, decorations and refreshments		\$17 46
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**Parks and Playgrounds**

W. H. Kendall, appropriation		\$50 00
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**PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES****Cemeteries**

H. G. Blood, cemetery trustee	\$74 00	
Bond for trust funds	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$77 00

**INTEREST****Paid on Temporary Loans**

Jane Kittredge, interest	\$14 00	
C. H. Raymond, interest	48 00	
M. B. Raymond, interest	8 34	
J. F. Perham, interest	4 00	
Frances Holt, interest	25 33	
J. H. Blood, interest	8 00	
Trust funds, interest	51 40	
	<hr/>	\$159 07

**Highway Construction**

Town account	\$299 52	
State account	114 73	
	<hr/>	\$414 25

**INDEBTEDNESS****Payment on Principal of Debt**

Trust funds	\$900 00	
J. H. Blood, Library note	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000 00

**PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS****State Tax**

State tax	\$975 00	
War tax	130 00	
County tax	756 63	
	<hr/>	\$1,861 63

**Payments to School District**

Appropriation	\$1,900 00	
Tuitions	550 00	
Supplies	75 00	
Repairs	200 00	
Dog tax	69 00	
Literary fund	41 76	
Salaries School Board	60 00	
From State for Superintendent	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,095 76

**ALL OTHER PAYMENTS****Abatements**

Geo. F. Averill, over tax	\$3 00	
E. W. Trow, over tax	1 87	
Alonzo Blood, over tax	1 20	
James Dunlap, poll tax	2 00	
H. Fuller, poll tax	2 00	
Cecil Smith, poll tax	2 00	
E. Scott, poll tax	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$14 07

**Printing**

Printing town reports	\$47 00
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**Insurance**

Insurance on town house	\$48 00
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**Taxes Bought by Town**

Heirs Jane Elliott	\$23 30	
A. J. Stearns	12 72	
	<hr/>	\$36 02

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. RAYMOND,  
 JOSEPH H. BLOOD,  
 GEORGE O. CARLETON,  
 Selectmen of Mont Vernon.  
 Mont Vernon, N. H., Jan. 31, 1918.

We have this day examined the above report and find  
 it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
 NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
 Auditors.



## Report of Town Treasurer

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Town of Mont Vernon, to A. P. Temple, Treasurer.

Dr.

To cash on hand Feb. 15, 1917	\$1,419 96
Rec'd. from George W. Coggin:	
Taxes uncollected 1916	467 26
Interest collected 1916	10 97
Taxes collected 1917	7,952 62
Interest collected 1917	13 97
Abatements	9 20
Notes for town	1,000 00
Pedlers' licenses	8 00
Rent of hall	108 00
Histories sold	8 50
Highway department	390 80
Dog licenses	75 50
Foerst fire account	6 34
Insurance tax	1575
Railroad tax	144 06
Savings Bank tax	441 38
Literary fund	41 76
School Supt. apportionment	200 00
	\$12,314 07

Cr.

By paying Selectmen's orders	\$10,294 44
By cash on hand in bank	2,019 63
	\$12,314 07
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1918	\$2,019 63
Uncollected taxes 1918	481 75
Assets	\$2,501 38

ARTHUR P. TEMPLE,  
Town Treasurer.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Auditors.

## Report of Road Agent

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Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., to Frank O. Lamson,  
Road Agent, as follows:—

Dr.

Rec'd from town for building State	
highway	\$414 25
Snow bills	550 05
Straightening Bates road	200 00
Repairing town roads	851 30
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	\$2,015 60

Cr.

N. W. Horton	\$ 75 60
J. G. Lawrence	108 25
W. E. Richardson	16 80
W. O. Lamson	41 19
H. Curtis	42 00
G. M. Stearns	115 79
E. A. Scott	9 00
A. M. Hazen	36 00
John Hazen	17 90
John Corliss	38 25
Lewis Trow	39 15
W. Brown	4 00
W. Kendall	1 00
E. H. Best	133 20
F. J. Conners	11 25
A. Winn	19 88
Temple & Blood	1 80
H. A. Hutchinson Est.	19 70
Kendall & Wilkins	13 80
F. Hartshorn	12 00
C. H. Raymond	4 00
F. Bergami	7 55
Telephone	1 02
A. Erlando	37 50

J. Bianchi	15 00
R. Mason	9 00
C. A. Bills	5 00
J. Ritchie	78 30
N. Merchant	2 00
J. G. Carlton	12 05
C. H. Hagar	5 00
A. B. Lamson	88 50
F. O. Lamson	406 57
C. Ritchie	37 50
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	\$1,465 55

### Snow Bill

G. F. Pike	\$ 3 37
C. E. Blood	2 05
W. P. Jenkins	6 50
D. C. Alexander	2 75
G. W. Coggin	2 50
E. H. Best	72 00
Blood & Temple	8 75
J. Hazen	77 48
J. G. Lawrence	32 10
J. G. Hopkins	9 90
H. B. Leighton	49 63
J. H. Blood	17 75
J. M. Ritchie	47 15
G. C. Hadley	7 50
J. F. Perham	2 27
H. K. Fuller	2 40
J. F. Conners	11 84
Mrs. L. J. Hutchinson	35 00
H. Curtis	1 00
L. G. Fielding	1 00
W. Richardson	15 35
H. Brown	3 34
A. Milne	11 00
C. B. Bills	4 00
H. Boutell	2 00
R. Mason	3 50
J. E. Corliss	3 50
N. W. Horton	6 75
A. J. Stearns	5 50

A. Winn	4 90	
J. Brown	4 45	
F. O. Lamson	59 00	
J. G. Carlton	4 65	
A. B. Lamson	1 87	
W. O. Lamson	3 25	
L. R. Dodge	6 30	
W. L. Robinson	17 75	
	<hr/>	\$550 05

## Report of Tax Collector

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Due from 1916 taxes	\$467 26	
Interest from 1916 taxes due	10 97	
		\$478 23
Taxes collected for 1916	\$467 26	
Interest collected for 1916	10 97	
		\$478 23
Taxes assessed for 1917	\$8,443 57	
Interest due	13 97	
		\$8,457 54
Taxes collected 1917	\$7,952 62	
Interest collected	13 97	
Abatements	9 20	
Taxes due Jan. 31, 1918	481 75	
		\$8,457 54

GEORGE W. COGGIN,  
Tax Collector.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Auditors.

## Report of Overseer of the Poor

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Received from County		\$402 80
Paid Temple & Blood, aid Jarvis Smith	\$170 01	
Pd. H. L. Robinson, aid H. L. Proctor	53 50	
B. F. Foster, burial H. L. Proctor	20 00	
Oscar Burs, M. D., bill, H. L. Proctor	9 10	
Oscar Burns, M. D., bill, Henry Towns	5 00	
Oscar Burns, M. D., bill, Mrs. H. Currier	68 35	
Oscar Burns, M. D., bill, Jarvis Smith	4 00	
Temple & Blood goods, Henry Fields	58 34	
Mrs. Geo. Tabbutt, goods, Henry Towns	3 00	
A. L. Martin, carrying Henry Towns to County Farm	6 50	
Geo. F. Averill, carrying Henry F. D. Roberts to County Farm	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$402 80
Whole amount receipts		\$402 80
Whole amount paid		\$402 80

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Overseer of Poor.

Mont Vernon, Feb. 1, 1918.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Auditors.



## Report of Cemetery Trustees

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### Receipts

From town	\$74 00
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### Expenditures

A. W. Winn, labor and digging grave	\$74 00
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HARRY G. BLOOD,  
Treasurer.

## Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

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Rec'd of Town, July 13, 1917, Trust funds (cemetery)		\$9 00
Harriet Dean	\$300 00	
Luther Odell	200 00	
Misses Kendalls	100 00	
Ruben Batchelder	100 00	
Sarah Holcomb	100 00	
Stephen Colburn	50 00	
John T. Perkins	50 00	
Harriet Dean	50 00	
Money borrowed	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000 00

Invested in Town of Milford Serial notes No. 4		
Interest received to Jan 1, 1918	\$65 33	
Expended on lots	32 75	
	<hr/>	\$32 58

Amounts due each lot in hands of Trustees:		
Dean lot	\$12 50	
Odell lot	10 34	
Kendall lot	3 18	
Batchelder lot	3 18	
Holcomb lot	3 18	
Colburn lot	10	
Perkins lot	10	
	<hr/>	\$32 58

CHAS. H. RAYMOND,  
WM. H. KENDALL,  
GEO. C. HADLEY,  
Trustees of Trust Funds.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.  
NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Auditors.

## Report of Library Trustees

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The Trustees of the Daland Memorial Library report another prosperous year.

In spite of "conservation" and fewer open hours, a large number of books have been in circulation. Notwithstanding the higher prices of books, the extra appropriation from the town and the generous gifts of our friends, both summer and winter, old and new, have made possible many additions to our shelves. For these we wish to express our full appreciation.

If Mrs. Sophia Daland, whose generous bequest gave us the beautiful building and Mr. William Conant, of honored memory, whose happy idea and timely advice suggested the thought to her, could see the groups of alert boys and girls, "browsing" at the reading room and in the "stack room," they would feel assured that "their works do follow them."

A few of us remember Mrs. Daland personally. The Trustees have in mind and hope the plan may be carried out this year, to hang in the building, a picture of the friend, to whose beneficent gift, we and those who come after us, owe so much.

We believe, more than ever, that the Library is a "live wire" in the community.

JAY M. GLEASON,  
WILLIARD P. WOODS,  
MAY V. TREVITT.

# REPORT OF TREASURER OF TOWN LIBRARY

For the Year Ending Feb. 1, 1918

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Dr.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1918	\$ 2 88	
Town appropriation	200 00	
Cash from fines	9 45	
	<hr/>	\$212 33

Cr.

Cash for periodicals	\$14 50	
Cash for books	27 91	
Librarian's services	84 00	
Supplies	2 21	
Insurance on books	8 67	
Wood	35 00	
Balance on hand	40 04	
	<hr/>	\$212 33

J. M. GLEASON,  
Treasurer.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Auditors.

# Report of School Board

For Fiscal Year Ending Feb. 15, 1918

## Revenue

Balance from last year	\$ 55 59	
Money required by law	970 00	
Additional voted	930 00	
Assessed for books and supplies	75 00	
Assessed to pay tuitions	550 00	
Assessed for salaries and expenses of district officers	60 00	
Literary fund from state	41 76	
Rec'd from state treasury for Supt.	200 00	
Rec'd from dog licenses	69 00	
For repairs and remodeling	200 00	
		<hr/> \$3,151 35

## Expenditures

Scholars' supplies and text books	\$ 79 06	
Teachers' salaries	1,257 50	
Superintendent	216 65	
School board and treasurer	60 00	
Tuition	731 50	
Flags and appurtenances	3 00	
Transportation of pupils	290 00	
Minor repairs	94 59	
Janitor service	61 98	
Fuel	91 00	
Unclassified expenditures	20 35	
Total expenditures		<hr/> \$2,905 63

# DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS TO FEB. 1

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Alfred W. Smith, Supt.	\$216 65
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## Teachers

Louise M. Barrett	\$331 50	
Alice B. Smith	343 50	
Viola Jenkins	144 00	
Katherine McCoy	228 00	
Beth Easter	210 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,257 00

## Janitors

Laura B. Pike	\$45 50	
Josephine Lacasse	11 48	
Charlie Long	5 00	
Ray Silvernail	2 00	
Alice Smith	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$66 98

## Fuel

John M. Hazen	\$ 3 50	
W. A. Blanchard	12 00	
Mrs. H. A. Hutchinson	10 50	
E. H. Best	9 00	
F. O. Lamson	56 00	
	<hr/>	\$91 00

## Transportation

F. J. Conner, 28 weeks	\$84 00	
E. W. Trow, 13 weeks	39 00	
Geo. L. Tabbutt	70 00	
Rufus G. Averill, 27 weeks	54 00	
F. O. Lamson, 12 weeks	12 00	
W. L. Robinson, 31 weeks	31 00	
	<hr/>	\$290 00



**Repairs**

W. F. French, paint	\$49 44	
Kendall & Wilkins, plaster	1 65	
W. H. Fox, labor	27 00	
Geo. W. Pike, labor	16 50	
	<hr/>	\$94 59

**Miscellaneous**

Temple & Blood, supplies	\$ 6 17	
N. F. Hooper, supplies	2 45	
W. H. Kendall, express	75	
J. M. Gleason, record book, postage	2 90	
A. W. Smith, postage	2 90	
E. A. Fox, flag	3 00	
Mrs. A. F. Stearns, care of scholars	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$28 17

**Summary**

Superintendent's salary	\$ 216 65	
Instruction	1,257 00	
Repairs	94 59	
Fuel	91 00	
Miscellaneous	28 17	
Janitors	66 98	
Transportation	290 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,044 39

FRANK O. LAMSON,  
 FRANK J. CONNER,  
 ARTHUR F. STEARNS,  
 Board of Education.

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the year ending Feb. 1918

Dr.

Balance in treasury, Feb. 15 1917	\$ 55 59	
School appropriation	1,900 00	
High School tuition	550 00	
Supplies	75 00	
Repairs	200 00	
Dog tax	69 00	
Literary fund	41 76	
Salaries of School Board & Treas.	60 00	
Rec'd from State for Supt.	200 00	
		<u>\$3,151 35</u>

Cr.

Paying orders of School Board	\$1,723 83	
Tuition	731 50	
Supplies	79 06	
Repairs	94 59	
Salaries	60 00	
Salary of Supt.	216 65	
Bal. in treasury	245 72	
		<u>\$3,151 35</u>

J. M. GLEASON,  
District Treasurer.

We have this day examined the above report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Auditors.

# TABLE OF ATTENDANCE FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1916-17

School	No. pupils registered		Av. Attendance	Av. Absence	Av. Membership	P. C. Attendance	No. Tardinesses	
	Boys	Girls						
Grammar	16	8	8	13.91	1.51	15.42	90.21	335
Primary	13	6	7	9.98	2.01	11.99	83.	91
West	16	5	11	10.61	1.94	12.55	84.5	194

## Statistics for School Year 1916-17

Grades	1	2	4	5	6	8
No. pupils promoted to next grade during or at end of school year	3	5	6	9	3	8
No. pupils in grade at end of year not promoted			1	3		1
No. pupils in grade at end of year who have been there two years					1	
Average age	6-3	7-9	10-4	11-5	11-8	12-8
No. of pupils 5-8 years of age (1916-1917)						11
No. of pupils 8-14 years of age						30
No. of pupils 14-16 years of age						4
No. of pupils 16-up years of age						0
Length of school year in weeks of 5 days						34
Perfect in attendance (1916-17), John Fox, Center School						

## Enrollment by School and Grades, Feb. 1, 1918

Schools	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	T
Center		2	5		3	4	2		16
Louise Barrett									
West				2		3		3	8
Catherine McCoy									
East	1				2				3
Beth Easter									
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	1	2	5	2	5	7	2	3	27

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board of Mont Vernon:—

I herewith submit my first report as Superintendent of Schools in Mont Vernon. The schools opened with Louise Barrett in charge of the grammar room at the Center; Alice Smith, primary room at the Center; Katherine McCoy, West school; and Beth Easter, East school. January 25, Miss Smith resigned and the two primary grades in her room were transferred to Miss Barrett's room. This gives Miss Barrett, with those already in her room, 17 pupils distributed in five different grades. Although this diminishes the time which can be given to each class, it is not an unusual situation in rural schools. When the number of different grades exceeds six I should recommend the employment of an additional teacher.

About eight pupils in the Center remain at the school house during the noon hour. While there were two teachers, each remained in charge for half the noon recess. It is advisable to have someone in charge and either Miss Barrett would have to stay all the time or some outside person engaged to take charge. I recommend the latter course.

### A Consolidated School

From an educational point of view it would be far better to instruct all the 27 pupils in Mont Vernon together at the Center School, dividing them into two rooms. This would make the classes larger and thereby create more interest by providing more competition in school work. It is dull business for a live boy or girl to be the only one in a class or to be one, at least, in a very small class. It is helpful to hear others recite, to try to outstrip one's classmates, and discuss the common work together. It is stimulating to a teacher to be able to call on other pupils when one fails. Games and other school activities are much more interesting and successful when larger number participate. Better equipment

and apparatus can be furnished pupils in a central school, whereas it would be expensive to equip several schools equally well. From a financial standpoint a central school requires only two teachers and saves the fuel for two buildings. To offset this saving would come transportation charges but these would not, probably, be as large as the expense of running the schools in the outer districts. On the other hand there are important considerations which may make it inadvisable to concentrate the pupils in one school. Chief among these are difficulties of transportation, inconvenience of parents and pupils, and a depressing effect upon property values in districts where schools are not maintained. The whole matter is just like any other human problems—there is something to be said on both sides. We must support the side which has the most advantages, realizing that there will be disadvantages in any case. Central schools are maintained successfully in many towns. It is entirely possible to provide comfortable and adequate transportation which will satisfy parents quite as much as the maintenance of a rural school, to which children often have to walk a long way.

### **Work of the Schools**

I find the work of the schools going well. The teachers are faithful and zealous in performing their duties. Two are graduates of normal schools. Not all the pupils are up to the grades in which they are registered but we are attempting to have them make up their deficiencies. If they do not, they cannot be promoted at the end of the year. I have given tests in arithmetic on the fundamentals whereby it can be seen just where each pupil is weak. I intend to give tests in other subjects also. This diagnosis reveals a pupil's standing and shows where drill is needed.

### **Change in Fiscal Year**

Laws of 1917, chapter 122, sections 1-4.

Section 1. The fiscal year of town and special school districts beginning February 16, 1917, shall end August 31, 1918, and thereafter the fiscal and scholastic year shall end August 31, annually.



Section 2. At its annual meeting holden in accordance with the provisions of section 1, chapter 90 of the Public Statutes, such school districts shall raise and appropriate money for the support of schools to be expended during the fiscal year beginning September 1, next succeeding.

Section 3. The selectmen shall pay over to the district treasurer, annually, on or before October 1, and monthly thereafter, such sums as the school board shall require for the maintenance of the schools.

Section 4. Section 13 of chapter 92 of the Public Statutes relating to reports of school boards to the state superintendent, as amended by chapter 5 of the Laws of 1903, is hereby repealed and in place thereof there is substituted the following:

Section 13. School boards shall, on or before the fifteenth day of September in each year, send to the superintendent of public instruction copies of their annual reports and answers to the questions proposed by him relating to the schools in their districts.

According to the above law it is necessary for school districts to raise enough money this March to support schools until August, 1919.

Mont Vernon School District Budget (estimated) for the period Feb. 1, 1918—Sept. 1, 1919.

Teachers' salaries	\$1,950 00	
1. Superintendent's salary	600 00	
Flags and appurtenances	5 00	
Books and supplies	125 00	
Fuel	150 00	
Salaries of officers	90 00	
Transportation	600 00	
Janitors	160 00	
Repairs	150 00	
2. High School tuitions	750 00	
Miscellaneous	120 00	
	<hr/>	\$4,700 00

1. During the period Feb. 1, 1918 to Sept. 1, 1919 there will be paid to the superintendent \$600. In December 1918 the town will receive from the State \$200,

which is one-half the annual salary. In December 1919 another \$200 will be received from the State.

2. There are at present 4 pupils from Mont Vernon attending the Milford High School at \$55 and 5 in Amherst at \$40. Possibly there will be 3 more 1918-1919. Amherst will probably increase its tuition. The tuition bill for the balance of the present school year will be \$210. During 1918-1919 it will probably be about \$600.

### **Medical Inspection**

Laws of 1917, chapter 114.

Section 1. The school board of every city, union, special or town school district, shall hereafter cause to be inserted in the warrant for the annual meeting of said district an article relating to the adoption of the provisions of chapter 83 of the Laws of 1913, providing for the medical inspection of schools, unless said district has already adopted the provisions of said chapter.

In any town which adopts medical inspection the School Board appoints one or more physicians of not less than five years' experience who shall at least once a year examine every pupil and teacher and inspect the grounds and buildings. If any defects are found in a pupil, notice is sent to the parent or guardian, who is supposed to have the child treated by his regular physician. The school physician does not supplant the regular family doctor. He merely notifies parents of defects which he observes; further action then rests with the parent. If a parent or guardian protests in writing against the examination of his or her child, such child will not be examined by the school physician unless afflicted with a contagious disease.

The physical condition of each child is recorded, after the annual examination, on blank forms prepared by the State. Therefore at each examination it can readily be seen whether defects indicated by the previous examination have been remedied or allowed to grow worse. These records are accessible to proper persons at any time so that parents can have accurate information about the physical development of their children precisely as they receive information on report cards about the mental development. The examination by the school physician

often reveals troubles which were either unknown or only mildly suspected and accordingly neglected. It is far better to attend to defects in their incipient stages when a cure is surer, easier, and quicker. Very often a child's slow progress in his lessons is due to some physical ailment. The regular medical inspection discovers these cases and points out the remedy. The annual examination includes tests of sight and hearing.

Everyone interested in the welfare of children will readily appreciate the value of a system of thorough medical inspection. The expense is not large and is not to be considered in comparison to the benefits to the pupils. For the thirty pupils in Mont Vernon a charge per pupil of the cost of a regular doctor's visit would not amount to a large sum. Until an agreement is actually made with some physicians it is difficult to state the expense definitely but I recommend that a sum of fifty dollars be appropriated to carry out the provisions of the medical inspection act if the voters accept it.

#### **Superintendent's Salary**

The addition of a fourth town to the supervisory district made it necessary to secure help in transacting the work of the superintendent's office. Mrs. Ellen Gunnison of Milford was engaged as secretary and her very efficient service has made possible the transaction of a greater volume of business more expeditiously and successfully than could have been attended to by one person alone. She has had charge of correspondence, records, preparation and distribution of notices and supplies, ordering books and supplies and keeping accounts thereof, preparation of state and United States government reports, and Red Cross work in schools. There is the additional advantage of having some person in the office all the time competent to deal with any matters that may come in.

I wish to express my appreciation of the cooperation of teachers and School Board.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED W. SMITH.

# Marriages in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31st, 1917

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
June 4	Spring Lake, Mich.	Everett Chester Bates	Mont Vernon	29	Hotel keeper.	Saratoga Springs, N. Y.	George E. Bates.	Cazenovia, N. Y.	Hotel keeper	1	
		Nina Irene Landman	Spring Lake	20	At home	Kent City Mich	Lillian Fisher.	Boston, Mass.	Fruit grower	1	
June 28	Mont Vernon	Ray E. Pomeroy	Mont Vernon	36	Instructor.		John W. Langman.	Spring Lake, Mich			
		Lila W. Trow	"	18	Student	Mont Vernon.	E. E. Pomeroy	Caspora, Mich	Jeweler.	1	Arthur W. Remington Amherst, N. H
Nov. 7	Milford	Norman D. Trow	"	21	Farmer	"	Melinda Burbank	Bean's Corner, Me	Farmer.	1	
		Helen M. Howard	Milford	19	At home	Milford	Jesse S. Trow	Parsonsfeld. Me	Farmer.	1	G. Edgar Wolfe Milford, N. H.
Nov. 12	Frances-town	Arthur D. Scott	Mont Vernon	65	Farmer.	Woburn, Mass	Helen Whiting.	"	Farmer.	1	
		Willette S. Silvermail	"	37	Housewife	Mont Vernon.	Sadie J. Moore	Milford	Carpenter	2	R. L. Bruce
Oct. 24	Mont Vernon	Walter F. Emery	Peterboro	27	Basketmaker.	Milford	Phoebe Davis	West Fairlee, Vt	Farmer.	3	Frances-town, N. H
		Olive E. Blood	Mont Vernon	24	At home	Mont Vernon	William Stearns	Mont Vernon	Farmer.	1	William Weston Marlboro. N. H
Nov. 20	Manchester	Frank B. Blood	"	44	Farmer.	New Boston	Albert H. Emery	Chesfield.	Farmer.	2	Hiram H. Appelman Manchester, N. H
		Henriette Zandoh	Manchester	29	Clerk	Norwood	Ida J. Codman	West Deering.	Inspector.	2	
							Thomas Zandoh	New Boston.			
							Jessie Hepburn	Browfalls, N. Y.			



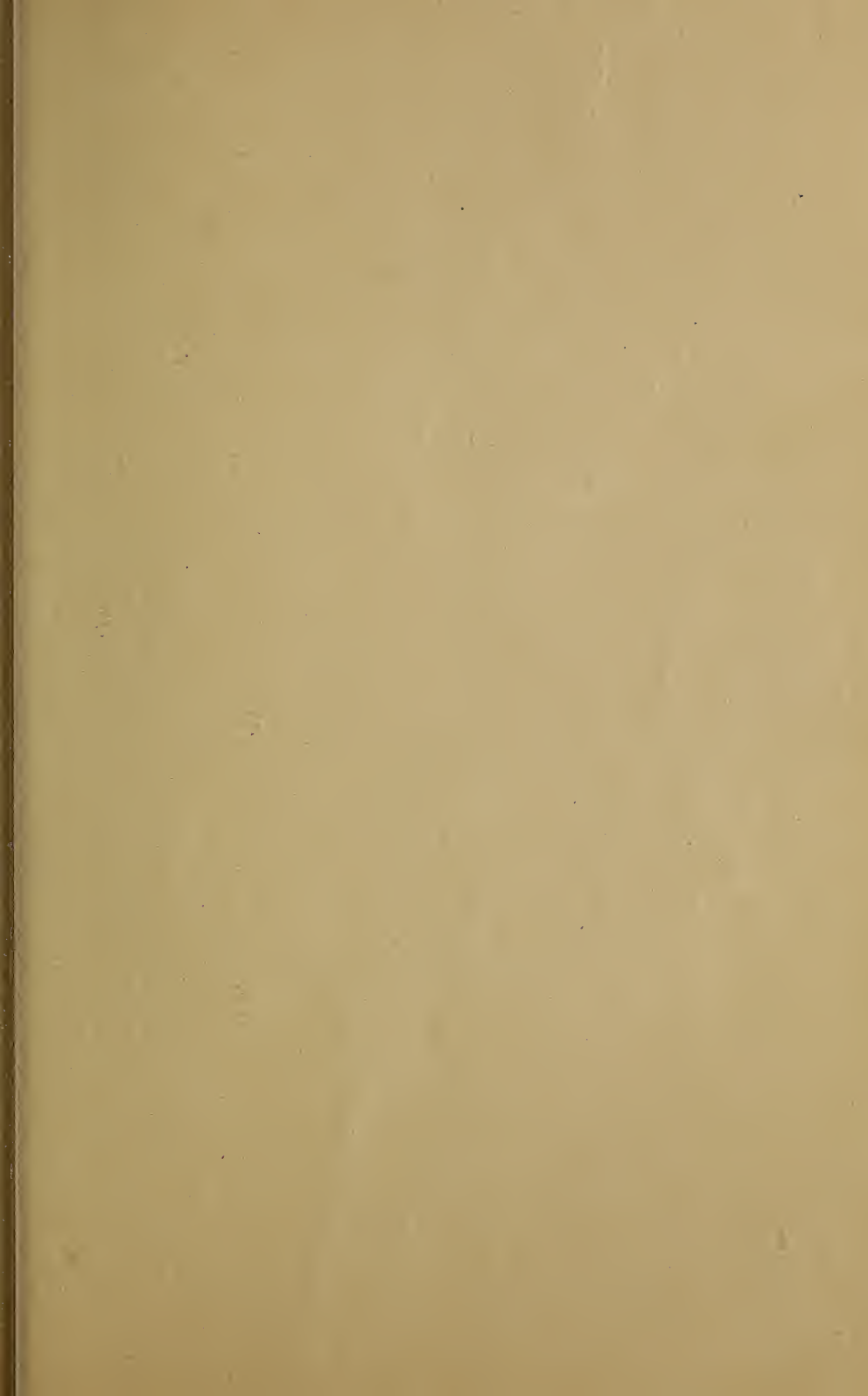
## Births Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1917

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of the Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.		
			Male.	Female.	No. of child. Living or still-born.							Color.	
4	Mt. Vernon	Deborah Worth	...	F	L	3	W	George D. Kittredge	Maudie R. Feeney....	W	Mont Vernon...	Fishkill, N. Y.	Haverhill, Mass.
May 22	Mt. Vernon	Perley Edward	...	M	L	5	W	Edward W. Trow ....	Josie Marvill.....	W	Mont Vernon...	Mont Vernon...	Mont Vernon...

## Deaths Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1917

Date of death.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
		Years.	Months.		Sex.	Color.					
			Days.			Single, married, or widowed.		Father.	Mother.		
Feb.	3 Herbert L. Proctor	54	21	Hollis	M	S	Farmer	.....	.....	Proctor	Rideout
March	11 Benjamin F. Roberts	57	8	Peabody, Mass	M	S	Housewife	.....	.....	Samuel Roberts	Helenera Perry
April	23 Lizzie A. Hadley	62	10	Hudson	M	M	Housewife	Merrimack	Hudson	Henry S. Goss	Martha Senter
May	26 Bedelia Blanchard	84	9	Galway, Ire	F	W	Housewife	Galway, Ire	Galway, Ire	Michael Finerty	Della Linham
June	13 Sullivan A. Starrett	79	11	Mont Vernon	M	M	Farmer	Hillsboro	Mont Vernon	Joseph A. Starrett	Maria J. Bruce
Aug.	5 H. Appleton Hutchinson	65	11	"	M	M	Farmer	Milford	Mont Vernon	Noah Hutchinson	Mary Hopkins
Nov.	3 Lenora A. Smith	72	8	10	F	S	Mechanic	Mont Vernon	Wilton	William H. Smith	Lydia Jane Baldwin

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. HARRY G. BLOOD, Town Clerk.







ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

TOWN OFFICERS

—OF—

MONT VERNON, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1919



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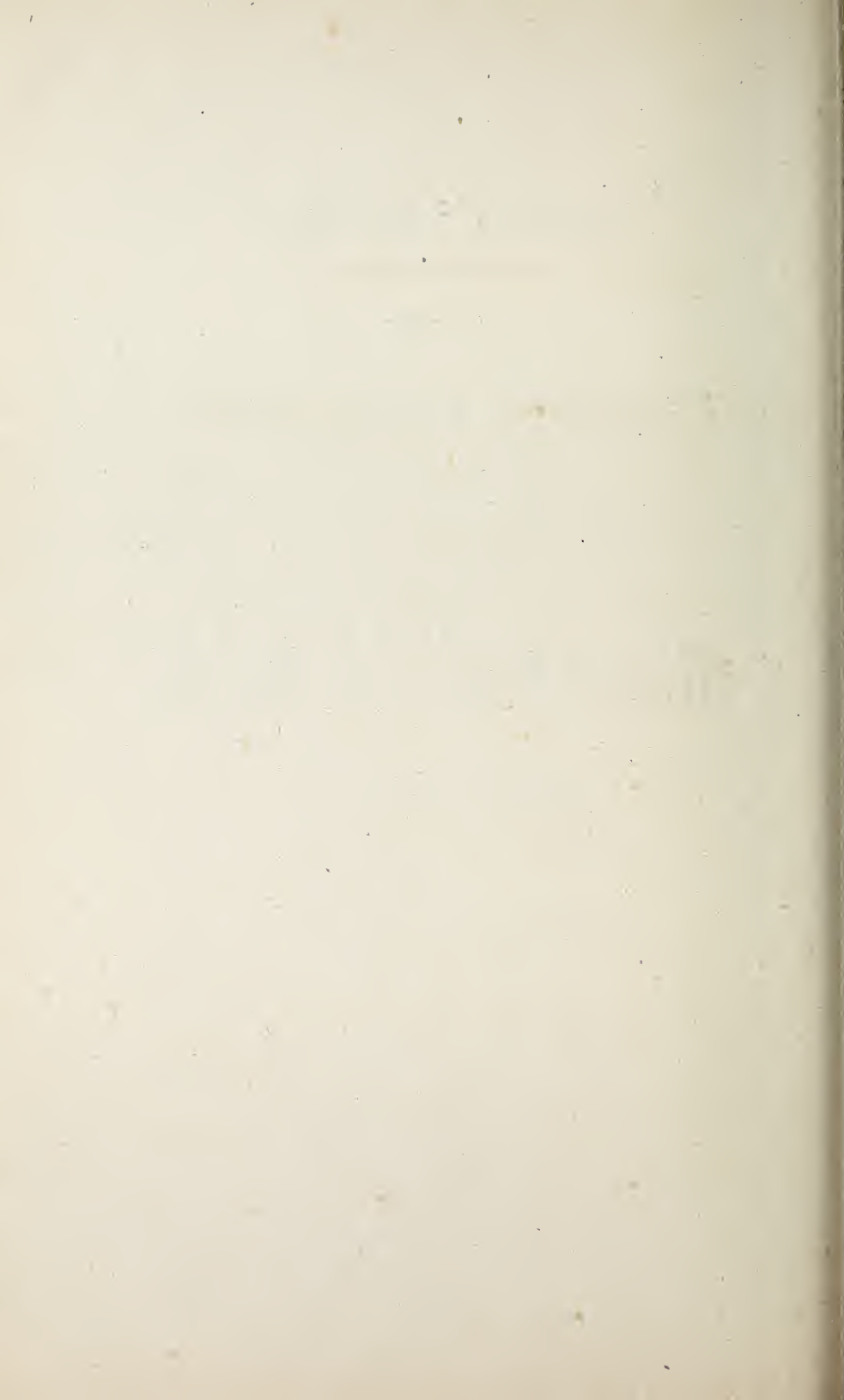
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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### Selectmen

CHAS. H. RAYMOND                      JOSEPH H. BLOOD  
GEO. O. CARLETON

### Town Treasurer

A. P. TEMPLE

### Town Clerk

HARRY G. BLOOD

### Tax Collector

GEO. W. COGGIN

### Chief of Police

DANIEL ALEXANDER

### Auditor

GEO. C. HADLEY

N. F. HOOPER



## Warrant for Town Meeting

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To the inhabitants of the Town of Mont Vernon in the County of Hillsboro, in said State qualified to vote in Town Affairs, you are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said Mont Vernon, on Tuesday, March 11, 1919, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.
3. To see if the town will vote to purchase a light two-horse road machine.
4. To see if the town will vote to have the hearse house moved to some convenient place and used as a store house.
5. To see what action the town will take regarding the maintenance of state highway.
6. To see if the town will vote to put in two additional lights around the square.
7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate two hundred dollars for the library or act in relation thereto.
8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate fifty dollars to be expended on the park.

CHARLES H. RAYMOND,  
JOSEPH H. BLOOD,  
GEORGE O. CARLETON,  
Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets

Cash in hands of town treasurer	\$3,322 11	
Accounts due town:		
Taxes not col., levy of 1918	1,196 78	
Due from State:		
State Highway acct.	651 21	
Bounties on Hedgehogs	6 60	
State Maintenance acct.	122 23	
Total assets	<u>5,291 93</u>	
Excess of liabilities of assets (net debt)	1,471 50	
Grand total		<u>\$6,770 43</u>

### Liabilities

Unpaid balance set aside for special purposes:		
Due to schools:		
(a) Dog licenses	\$ 60 25	
Literary fund	28 60	
From State	125 00	
From Town	1,050 00	
	<u>1,263 85</u>	
State and town highway accounts:		
Due state highway	\$1,628 02	
Due from State	651 21	?
	<u>2,279 23</u>	
Due State Aid Maintenance:		
From town	\$255 12	
From state	122 23	
	<u>377 35</u>	
Notes outstanding:		
C. H. Raymond	\$1,200 00	
Jane Kittredge	350 00	
J. F. Perham	100 00	
M. B. Raymond	200 00	
Frances Holt	1,000 00	
	<u>2,850 00</u>	
Total liabilities		<u>\$6,770 43</u>

## Town of Mont Vernon, N. H.

## RECEIPTS

## RECEIPTS

## Current Revenue from:

1. Local taxes		\$8,996 67
2. Property and poll taxes previous year	\$481 75	
3. Interest on taxes, 1917	18 92	
4. Interest on taxes, 1918	6 13	
5. Redeemed taxes, 1916	39 79	
		<hr/> \$546 59

## From State:

Railroad tax	\$114 76	
Savings Bank tax	424 25	
Literary fund	28 60	
School fund	125 00	
		<hr/> \$692 61

## For State Aid Maintenance

\$277 77

## For State Aid Construction

42 71

## Forest fires

1 50

## Bounties on Hedgehogs

2 60

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\$324 58

## From Local Sources:

Dog licenses	\$60 25
Pedlers' licenses	12 00
Rent town hall	83 00
Town History sold	2 00
Lots sold in cemetery	10 00
Village Improvement Society	100 00
Abatement of taxes	4 00

## Refund from E. H. Best.

## For Repairs on Roads:

Gift to Town	205 20
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\$476 45

## Received from Summer Residents:

For fire department	\$1,000 00
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## Cash on hand at beginning of year

2,019 63

## Grand total

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\$14,056 53

**PAYMENTS****Year Ending January 31, 1919.****PAYMENTS****Current Maintenance Expenses:****General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$393 79	
Election and registration exps.	84 00	
Town officers' expenses	68 64	
Exp. town hall and other bldgs.	913 53	
		\$1,459 96

**Protection of persons and property:**

Police dept. and care of tramps	6 50	
Fire department	1,969 74	
Bounties	6 60	
		\$1,976 34

**Health:**

Health department	\$8 00	
Vital statistics	2 50	
		\$10 50

**Highways and bridges:**

State Aid Maintenance	\$422 65	
Town Maintenance	607 31	
Street Lighting	401 65	
		\$1,431 61

**General Expense Highway:**

Including watering tub	\$7 50	
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**Library**

212 00

**Charities: town poor**

\$15 00

**Patriotic purposes:**

Memorial day	\$18 06	
Service flag	2 65	
		\$20 71

**Parks:**

Appropriation for park	\$50 00	
Cemetery	86 50	
Abatements	4 00	
		\$140 50

\$5,280 62

## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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### GENERAL GOVERNMENT

#### Salaries, Town Officers

Selectmen:

C. H. Raymond	\$90 00
J. H. Blood	80 00
George O. Carlton	75 00
Harry G. Blood, town clerk	20 00
A. P. Temple, town treasurer	30 00
Geo. W. Coggin, tax collector	94 79

Auditors:

Geo. C. Hadley	2 00
N. F. Hooper	2 00

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\$393 79

#### Election and Registration Expenses

Supervisors:

Jay M. Gleason	\$20 00
N. F. Hooper	20 00
Chas. O. Ingalls	22 00
F. C. Lamson, moderator	10 00

Ballot clerks:

M. H. Raymond	6 00
Geo. C. Hadley	6 00

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\$84 00

#### Overseer of Poor

Geo. C. Hadley, overseer	\$15 00
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#### Expenses

C. H. Raymond:

To Concord and Manchester	\$5 18
Stationery, stamps and telephone	2 30

J. H. Blood:

To Manchester and Concord	4 97
Stamps and telephone	1 55
Use of car	2 00

Geo. Carlton, expense to Manchester	1 56
A. P. Temple for stamps	58

E. C. Eastman, Coll. book, Check lists, Order book and warrants	4 50	\$22 64
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### Printing

Printing Town Reports	\$46 00
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	\$561 43

### Care and Supplies Town Hall

Percy Scott, sawing wood	\$ 1 75	
Daniel Alexander, janitor	63 00	
Tuning piano	4 00	
Lamps, town hall	1 75	
J. H. Blood, 2 cords wood	13 00	
Supplies	96	
Repairs on town clock (broken by boys)	27 94	
Insurance town hall	35 20	
C. Stinson, repairs on lights	5 00	
Paint and oil for town house	126 66	
Green paint	5 35	
Supplies for town hall from Temple & Blood	67 55	
John R. Horn, painting town hall	114 56	
J. Graham, painting	64 00	
Blinds for town hall	19 49	
Painting same	24 00	
Freight and express on blinds	1 52	
Liability insurance on painters	39 00	
Lighting town hall	12 80	
	<hr/>	\$627 53

### Repairs on Horse Sheds

Paid Frank Smith	\$286 00
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### Police Department

Roy Gilson on account of arrest at Grand Hotel	\$3 00	
Keeping tramps	1 50	
D. Alexander, police	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$6 50



**Fire Department**

Paid for Chemical Auto Engine	\$1,673 55	
Supplies for engine	4 73	
W. H. Kendall expenses for fire extinguishers	5 21	
Frank Smith repairing engine house	255 00	
George Pike, painting engine house	8 80	
Temple & Blood, paint for engine house	11 95	
Supplies, Fire department	9 75	
Coggin, irons for door	75	
	<hr/>	\$1,969 74
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		\$2,889 77

**Bounties**

33 Hedgehogs	\$6 60
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**Health and Sanitation**

J. H. Blood, posting measles notices	\$8 00
H. G. Blood, reporting births, mar- riages and deaths	2 50

**HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES****Breaking Roads, Spring of 1918**

Paid F. O. Lamson, agent	\$308 06	
L. A. Trow	5 75	
J. H. Blood, breaking sidewalks	6 00	
J. H. Blood, breaking roads	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$329 81

**Repairs of Highways**

John Hazen, Riverdale road	\$30 00
Work on roads:	
West Nichols	58 20
John Hazen	19 00
R. Mason	6 00
Geo. O. Carlton	27 80
J. F. Perham	36 05
J. G. Carlton	15 90
C. H. Raymond	36 00

L. A. Trow	14 00	
J. H. Blood	16 50	
J. H. Blood, draining water	3 00	
Getting drills sharpened	1 50	
Sharpening drills	25	
Cement	75	
Drawing lumber	1 00	
N. F. Hooper	7 50	
N. F. Hooper, gravel	1 20	
John Hazen	50	
Bridge stone	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$277 50

### Highway Maintenance—State and Town Account

Patrolman, State Road	\$422 65
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### Street Lighting

Lighting streets	\$401 65
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### Library

Appropriations, J. M. Gleason	\$200 00	
Lighting Library	12 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,036 30
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		\$1,660 71

### Memorial Day

H. G. Blood, transportation and refreshments	\$18 06	
Service flag	2 65	
	<hr/>	\$20 71

### Park

W. H. Kendall, appropriation	\$50 00
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### PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE

H. G. Blood, cemetery trustee	\$86 50
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### Interest

Paid on Notes:	
Frances Holt	\$40 00

J. F. Perham	4 00	
Jane Kittredge	14 00	
C. H. Raymond	48 00	
M. B. Raymond	12 00	
	<hr/>	\$118 00

### Highway Construction

Putting up Railings:		
R. G. Averill	\$42 00	
W. H. Fox	49 00	
Lumber	16 61	
Posts and rails	16 80	
Paint	19 50	
Spikes and cement	5 59	
	<hr/>	\$149 50

### INDEBTEDNESS

#### Payment on Notes

M. B. Raymond, library note	\$100 00
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### PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

#### State Tax

State tax	\$1,040 00	
County tax	1,046 30	
	<hr/>	\$2,086 30

#### Payment to School District

Paid J. M. Gleason in part of appropriation	\$3,000 00
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#### Abatements

Walter Reed, poll tax	\$2 00	
J. M. Ritchie, poll tax	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$4 00

#### Photograph of Road

J. Brown case	\$1 50
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**Watering Tub**

D. J. Hutchinson	\$3 00	
R. G. Averill	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$6 00
		<hr/>
		\$5,622 51
Interest paid on long-term notes		\$118 00
Outlay for new construction		\$149 50
Indebtedness—Paid on long-term notes		\$100 00

**Payments to Other Governmental Divisions**

State tax	\$1,040 00	
County tax	1,046 30	
Payments to school district	3,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$5,086 30
Cash on hand at end of year		\$3,322 16
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Grand total		\$14,056 53

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. RAYMOND,  
 JOSEPH H. BLOOD,  
 GEORGE O. CARLTON,  
 Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

Mont Vernon, N. H., Jan. 31, 1919.

I have this day examined the above report and  
 find it correctly cast and properly vouched.  
 NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
 Auditor.

## Report of Town Treasurer

Town of Mont Vernon, to A. P. Temple, Treasurer.

Dr.

Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1918	\$2,019 63
Received from Selectmen, Elliott & Stearns taxes and interest, 1916 redeemed	39 79
Received from Geo. W. Coggin uncollected taxes, 1917	481 75
Interest collected, 1917	18 92
Taxes collected, 1918	8,996 67
Interest collected, 1918	6 13
Abatement, 1918	4 00
Received from:	
E. H. Best	205 20
Pedlers' licenses	12 00
Dog licenses	60 25
Bounties on hedgehogs	2 60
Lots sold in cemetery	10 00
Forest Fires Account	1 50
Highway Dept.	320 48
Village Improvement	100 00
Town Histories sold	2 00
Rent of hall	83 00
Railroad tax	114 76
Savings Bank tax	424 25
Literary fund	28 60
School apportionment	125 00
Received from Summer Residents	1,000 00
	<hr/> \$14,056 53

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By paying Selectmen's orders	\$10,734 42
By cash on hand in bank	3,322 11
	<hr/> \$14,056 53
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1919	\$3,322 11
Uncollected taxes, 1918	1,196 78
Assets	<hr/> \$4,518 89

ARTHUR F. TEMPLE,  
Town Treasurer.

I have this day examined the above report and  
find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditor.



## Report of Tax Collector

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Due from 1917 taxes	\$481 75	
Interest from 1917 taxes due	18 92	
	<hr/>	\$500 67
Taxes collected for 1917	\$481 75	
Interest collected for 1917	18 92	
	<hr/>	\$500 67
Taxes assessed for 1918	\$10,197 45	
Interest	6 13	
	<hr/>	\$10,203 58
Taxes collected	\$8,996 67	
Interest collected	6 13	
Abatements	4 00	
Taxes due Jan. 31, 1919	1,196 78	
	<hr/>	\$10,203 58

GEORGE W. COGGIN,  
Tax Collector.

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I have this day examined the above report and  
find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditor.

## Report of Overseer of Poor

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Received from the County	\$96 18
Paid Temple & Blood, aid Jarvis Smith	\$96 18

GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Overseer of Poor.

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find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditor.

## Report of Cemetery Trustees

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A. W. Winn, labor and digging graves	\$84 50	
Geo. W. Pike, labor with horse	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$86 00

HARRY G. BLOOD,  
Treasurer.

## Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

From John Colby Estate	\$200 00	
From Mary E. Baker	100 00	
Interest on Funds	44 47	
		<hr/> \$344 47

Paid A. Winn, care of each lot:

Dean lot	\$3 00	
Odell lot	2 00	
Kendall lot	2 00	
Batchelder lot	2 00	
Holcomb lot	2 00	
Coburn lot	2 00	
Perkins lot	1 50	
Kittredge lot	2 00	
Colby lot	2 00	
Baker lot	1 50	
		<hr/> \$20 00

Due each lot:

Dean lot	\$21 50	
Odell lot	16 34	
Kendall lot	5 18	
Batchelder lot	5 18	
Holcomb lot	5 18	
Coburn lot	10	
Perkins lot	60	
Colby lot	97	
		<hr/> \$55 05

Amount of Trust Funds in hands of Trustees:

Harriet Dean	\$300 00	
Luther Odell	200 00	
John Colby	200 00	
Misses Kendall	100 00	
Ruben Batchelder	100 00	
Sarah Holcomb	100 00	
Mary E. Baker	100 00	
Stephen Coburn	50 00	
John T. Perkins	50 00	
Harriet Kittredge	50 00	
		<hr/> \$1,250 00

Invested:	
Town of Milford Serial note	\$1,000 00
Liberty Bonds	250 00
Granite Savings Bank	55 05
	<hr/> \$1,305 05

CHARLES H. RAYMOND,  
W. H. KENDALL,  
GEORGE C. HADLEY,  
Trustees of Trust Funds.

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I have this day examined the above report and  
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NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,  
Auditor.

# Report of Library Trustees

1918-1919

Lord Bacon, if I remember rightly, was the originator of a certain "memory gem" of the writer's school-days viz.—Reading maketh a full man, conference a ready man and writing an exact man."

Our library seems to be responsible for development along all these lines. The demand for books is great, the discussion brought about by the new books and the current magazine articles is a cause of much satisfaction to those interested, while the results in "papers," the data for which, are found by rummaging in the library shelves, cannot be under-estimated.

On the whole, we report a prosperous year. Although, owing to the high cost of everything, we have not enlarged as much as we had hoped from the increased appropriation of the town, we have, at least, "held our own."

During the temporary absence of Miss Mabel Spencer our able librarian for several years past, we have been very fortunate in her substitute, Miss Georgianna Flint, who is doing most excellent work.

Finally we wish to thank all our friends for their hearty co-operation in making the Daland Memorial Library a live institution and especially for the many gifts of books and magazines and papers which have been received and are most fully appreciated.

JAY M. GLEASON,  
WILLARD P. WOODS,  
MAY V. TREVITT.



**REPORT OF TREASURER OF TOWN LIBRARY**  
**For the Year Ending Feb. 1, 1919.**

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Dr.

Cash in treasury, Feb. 1, 1918	\$ 40 04	
Town appropriation	200 00	
Cash from fines	5 93	
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Cash for periodicals	\$16 00	
Cash for books	78 05	
Librarian's services	92 00	
Supplies	5 06	
Insurance on books	9 02	
Wood	40 00	
Balance on hand	5 84	
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J. M. GLEASON,  
Treasurer.

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Auditor.

# Report of School Board

TABLE OF ATTENDANCE FOR SCHOOL YEAR  
1917-18

School	Whole No. of pupils registered	Boys	Girls	Av. Attendance	Av. Absence	Av. Membership	P. C. Attendance	No. Tardiness
Grammar	16	6	10	9.49	1.69	11.18	84.87	143
Primary	7	4	3	5.40	1.60	7.00	77.14	77
East	4	2	2	2.38	.75	3.13	84.00	12
West	11	3	8	6.70	1.43	8.13	82.00	22
	38	15	23	23.97	5.47	29.84	81.42	254

## Statistics for School Year 1917-18

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
No. pupils promoted to next grade during or at end of school year		2	5	1	5	5	1	1
No. pupils in grade at the end of year not promoted	1				1	2	2	2
Average age	7	7-8	8	10-1	12	12-1	12-9	14-1
No. of pupils 5-8 years of age (1917-1918)								5
No. of pupils 8-14 years of age								26
No. of pupils 14-16 years of age								4
No. of pupils 16-up years of age								0
Length of school year in weeks of 5 days								36
Perfect in attendance (1917-18)								0

## Enrollment by School and Grades, Feb. 1, 1919

Schools	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	T
Center Grammar						6	4	6	16
Louise Barrett									
Center Primary	1		2	5	1				9
Edna Burr									
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	1	0	2	5	1	6	4	6	25

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board of Mont Vernon:

I herewith submit my second annual report as superintendent of the schools of Mont Vernon. There are at present 25 pupils attending school, 3 less than last year. Up to Jan. 24, when the East School was closed, there was a total of 30 pupils in school. The East School was closed because its membership became reduced to three, all of whom are rather young to begin school. There were nine pupils enrolled in this school during the fall term at different times.

The percent of attendance is most discouraging for those who are trying to advance the children's education. Very few towns have such an extremely poor record. It is absolutely certain that no teacher, however good, can teach absent pupils. Now the thing happens that must be expected, the pupils are behind in their grade in their work. The school work shows it. Of course some absence is necessary but I am sure that Mont Vernon pupils can attend more regularly and the proof is that nearly every other town in the state has a better record. I do not believe that there is any reason why Mont Vernon boys and girls are unable to do what other boys and girls actually do elsewhere. The pupils start the school day at home. Whether they even start at all or start on time depends on the home. The teacher will take them and work with them after they reach school but the parent's cooperation is absolutely essential at the start. The record this year is scarcely better so far than last. The number of tardinesses, especially, is positively disgraceful. Tardiness hinders school work and breeds bad habits. Unless parents grasp the importance of this matter and act accordingly, a large part of the money spent on our schools is wasted. What is the logic of maintaining schools for children and then keeping the children away? I have asked the teachers to keep up a campaign for better attendance and punctuality, but the parents must help, too. As a matter of fact the school law demands regular attendance.

Teachers' salaries must be \$14-16 a week. The time has passed into history when a competent teacher can be secured for less. Not a graduate from last year's class at Keene Normal School receives less than \$14 a week. Most of them get more. They deserve it. Teachers must be able to pay expenses and still have something left.

Mt. Vernon was the only one out of the 4 towns in this supervisory district which did not adopt medical inspection last March. I again recommend its adoption in the interest of child welfare. According to chapter 114, Laws, of 1917, an article relating to medical inspection must be put in the warrant every year until it is adopted.

In any town that adopts medical inspection the School Board appoints one or more physicians of not less than five years' experience who shall at least once a year examine every pupil and teacher and inspect the grounds and buildings. If any defects are found in a pupil, notice is sent to the parent or guardian, who is supposed to have the child treated by his regular physician. The school physician does not supplant the regular family doctor. He merely notifies parents of defects which he observes; further action then rests with the parent. If a parent or guardian protests in writing against the examination of his or her child, such child will not be examined by the school physician unless afflicted with a contagious disease.

The physical condition of each child is recorded, after the annual examination, on blank forms prepared by the state. Therefore at each examination it can readily be seen whether defects indicated by the previous examination have been remedied or allowed to grow worse. These records are accessible to proper persons at any time so that parents can have accurate information about the physical development of their children precisely as they receive information on report cards about the mental development. The examination by the school physician often reveals troubles which were either unknown or only mildly suspected and accordingly neglected. It is far better to attend to defects in their incipient stages when a cure is surer, easier and quicker. Very often a child's slow progress in his lessons is due to some physical ailment. The regular medical inspection discovers these cases and points out



the remedy. The annual examination includes tests of sight and hearing.

Schools were closed last fall four weeks on account of the epidemic. The time lost will be made up by shortening the Christmas and spring vacations each one week and extending the third term. The terms, therefore will be as follows:

1st. term	Sept. 3-Dec. 20	12 weeks
2nd. term	Dec. 30-Mar. 28	13 weeks
3rd. term	Apr. 7-June 20	11 weeks
		<hr/> 36 weeks

The Federal Bureau of Education thru its agents and the state departments of public instruction is organizing all over the country the United States School Garden Army which will comprise every boy and girl who will cultivate a garden. Thousands of pupils had gardens last year. In Mont Vernon 22 pupils had gardens and raised crops estimated as worth \$110. There is still great need for maximum food production and it is planned to beat last year's good record this coming season. Any boy or girl in school can enroll in this garden army. In each room a captain and lieutenants are appointed to assist the teacher in keeping up interest on the part of the "privates" and assisting in keeping records. Every member has a badge. Gardening will be studied in school according to outlines prepared by the directing state and national officers. The Government also furnishes pamphlets giving instructions and directions. Part of these have already been distributed. This is a thoro and well organized movement to inspire children with a love for gardening and help them plan and cultivate their own gardens.

I wish to express my appreciation of the cordial and helpful cooperation of School Board and teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED W. SMITH.



# REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the year Ending Feb. 1, 1919.

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Dr.

Balance in treasury, Feb. 1, 1918	\$ 245 72	
School Money	3,000 00	
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Paying Superintendent	\$ 318 71	
Paying teachers	1,299 90	
2 H. S. Tuitions	536 25	
Stearns School	277 50	
Supplies	31 69	
Janitors	115 10	
Transportation	363 50	
Salaries of S. B. and treas.	60 00	
Wood	16 50	
Miscellaneous	34 10	
Balance in treasury	192 47	
	<hr/>	\$3,245 72

J. M. GLEASON,  
District Treasurer.

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# Marriages Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon for the Year Ending December 31, 1919

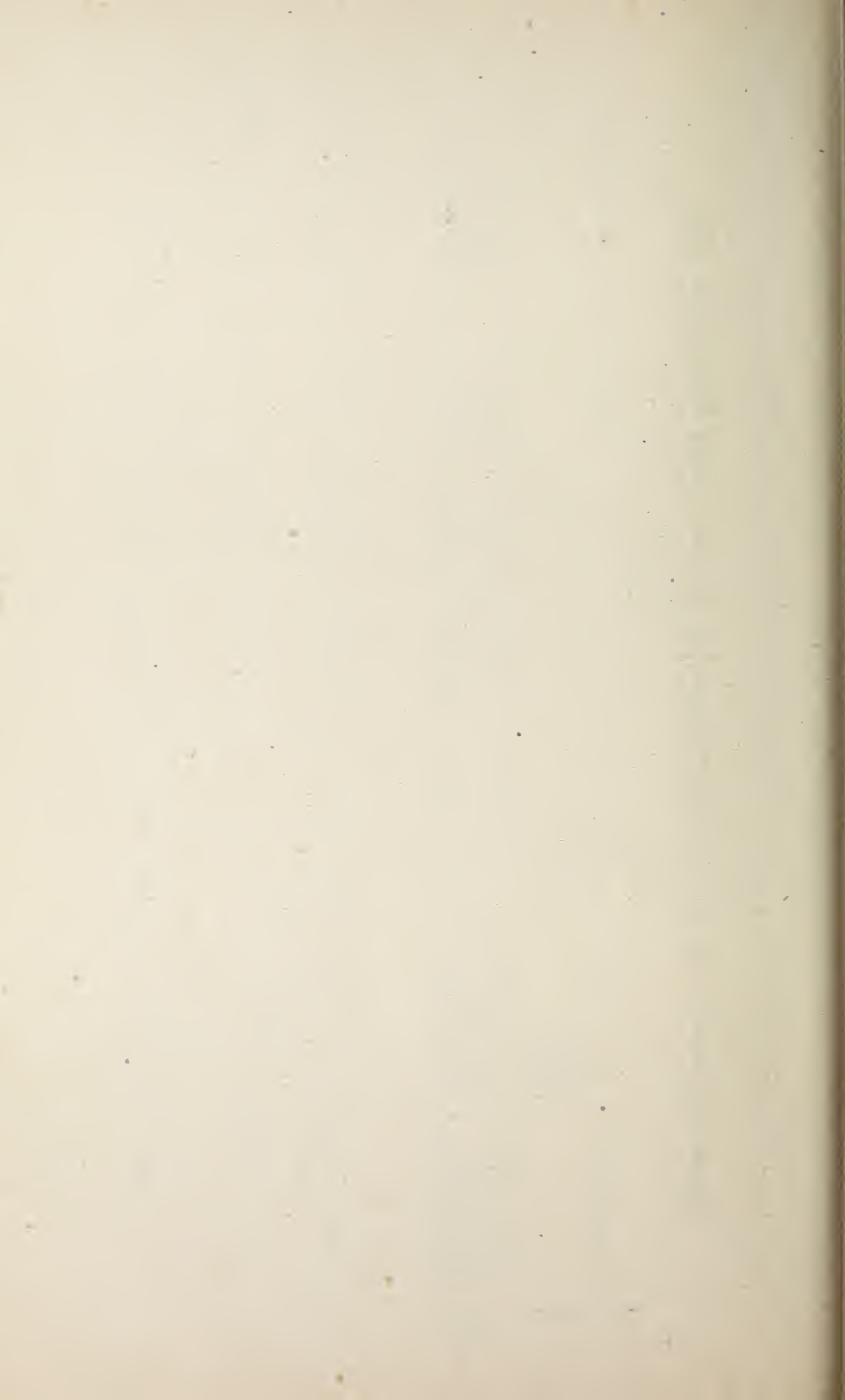
Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Feb. 25	Mt. Vernon	Stark C. Ellenwood.	Millford....	37	All White	Farmer.....	Windham....	Walter Ellenwood ....	No. Pelham .....	Farmer .....	S	Sh. P. Peck Clergyman
		Alice Belle Smith....	Mt. Vernon	28		Teacher.....	Mt. Vernon....	Frank J. Smith.....	Windham .....	R Est dealer .....	S	Mont Vernon
Oct. 16	Amherst	Arthur J. Hugron....	Mt. Vernon	38		Farmer.....	Swanton, Vt...	Annie E. Jones.....	Mt. Vernon .....	Carpenter .....	S	William Aitchison Clergyman
		Minnie B. Preston....	Mt. Vernon	46		Housekeeper ..	Bethel, Vt. ....	Joseph Hugron.....	Chicopee, Mass ..	Farmer .....	2	Amherst
								Rose Dajault.....	Chicopee, Mass ..			
								Daniel Ryan.....	Randolph, Vt. ....			
								Emma Frelen .....	Elmira, N. Y. ....			

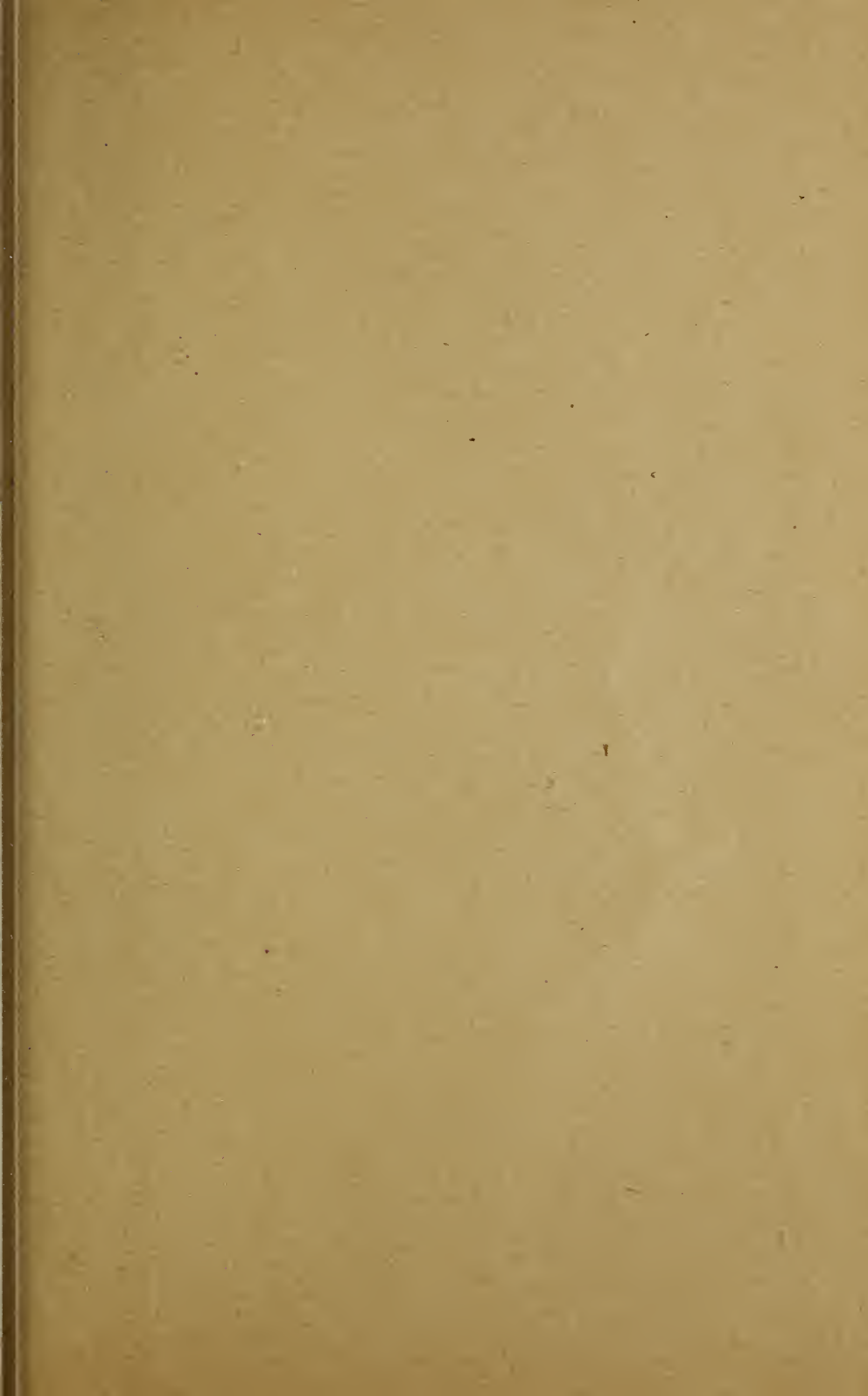
# Births Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon for the Year Ending December 31, 1919

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.				Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or still-born.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.							
Sept. 7	Mt. Vernon...	Persis Eliza.....	M	F	L	W Francis E. Hadley....	Lucretia Henderson ..	W Mt. Vernon ..	Mt. Vernon ..	Mail Carrier.	New Boston ....	Merrimack, N. H.
Dec. 18	Mt. Vernon...	Robert Spaulding..	M	F	L	W Frank Deaube .....	Elsie Spaulding .....	W Mt. Vernon ..	Mt. Vernon ..	Teamster....	Canada.....	Woburn, Mass...

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon for the Year Ending December 31, 1919

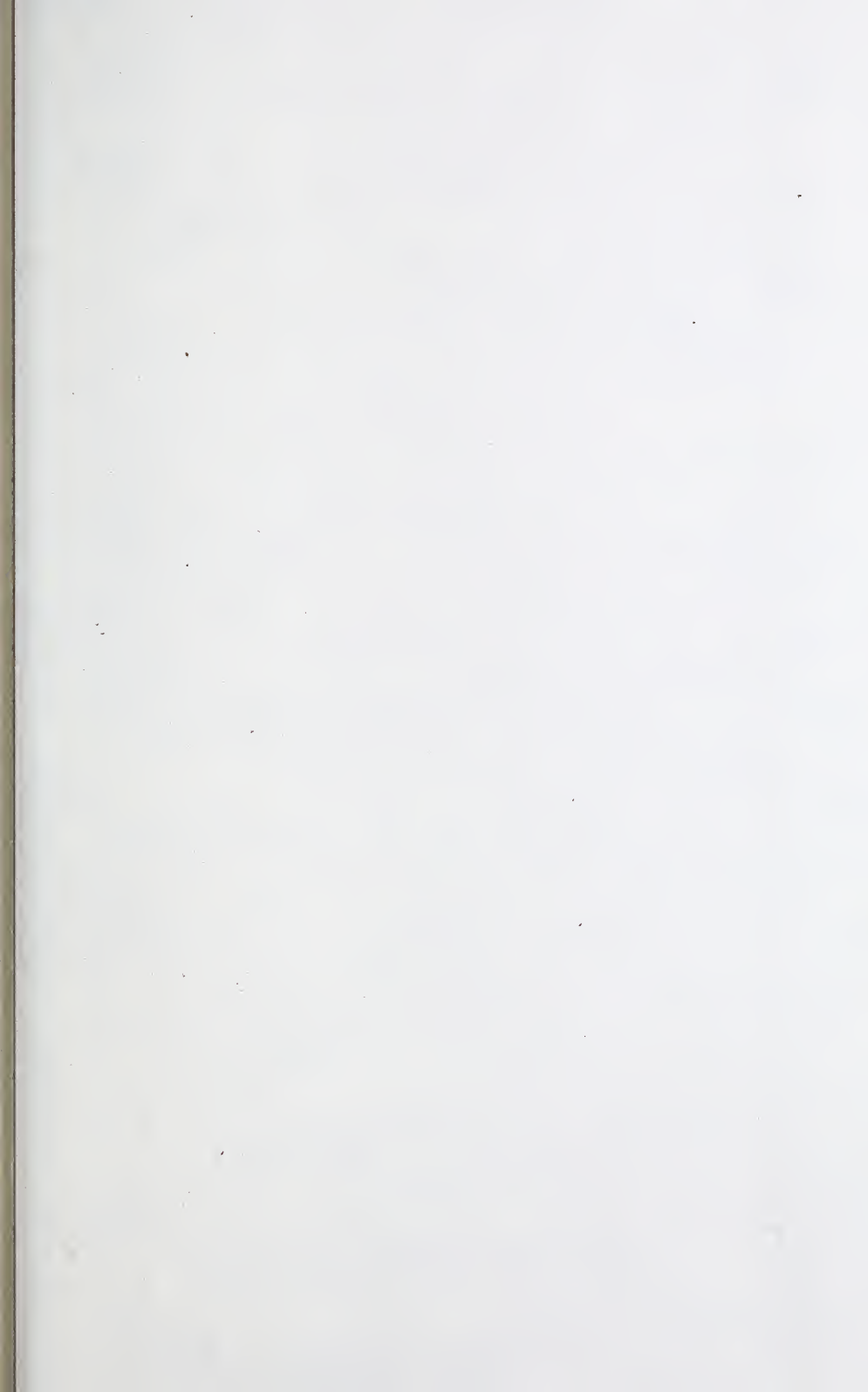
Date of death.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.			Place of birth.	Sex and condition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Sex.	Color.	Single, married, or widowed.		Father.	Mother.		
Feb. 7	William W. Warner	86	8	4	Colereton, N.Y.	M	All White	M	Physician	Litchfield, Conn.	Petersburg, N.Y.	Benjamin Warner	Ennice Waite
Feb. 13	Daniel H. Smith	81	11		Mt. Vernon	M		M	Farmer	Mt. Vernon	Mt. Vernon	John Smith	Cynthia Smith
March 6	Addie Goodrich	81	4		Boxboro, Mass.	F		M				John Rowe	Susan Sweet
Aug. 7	Frances A. Holt	64	4	21	Francetown	S		S		Andover, Mass.	Lyndeboro	Stephen D. Holt	Joanna A. Holt
July 7	Emeline A. Kendall	84		84	Mt. Vernon	F		S		Mt. Vernon	Mt. Vernon	Ira Kendall	Cyrène Rachelier
Oct. 29	Edward C. Averill	50		623	New Boston	M		M	Farmer	Mt. Vernon	Lyndeboro	Granville C. Averill	Nancy Green













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